The Pods

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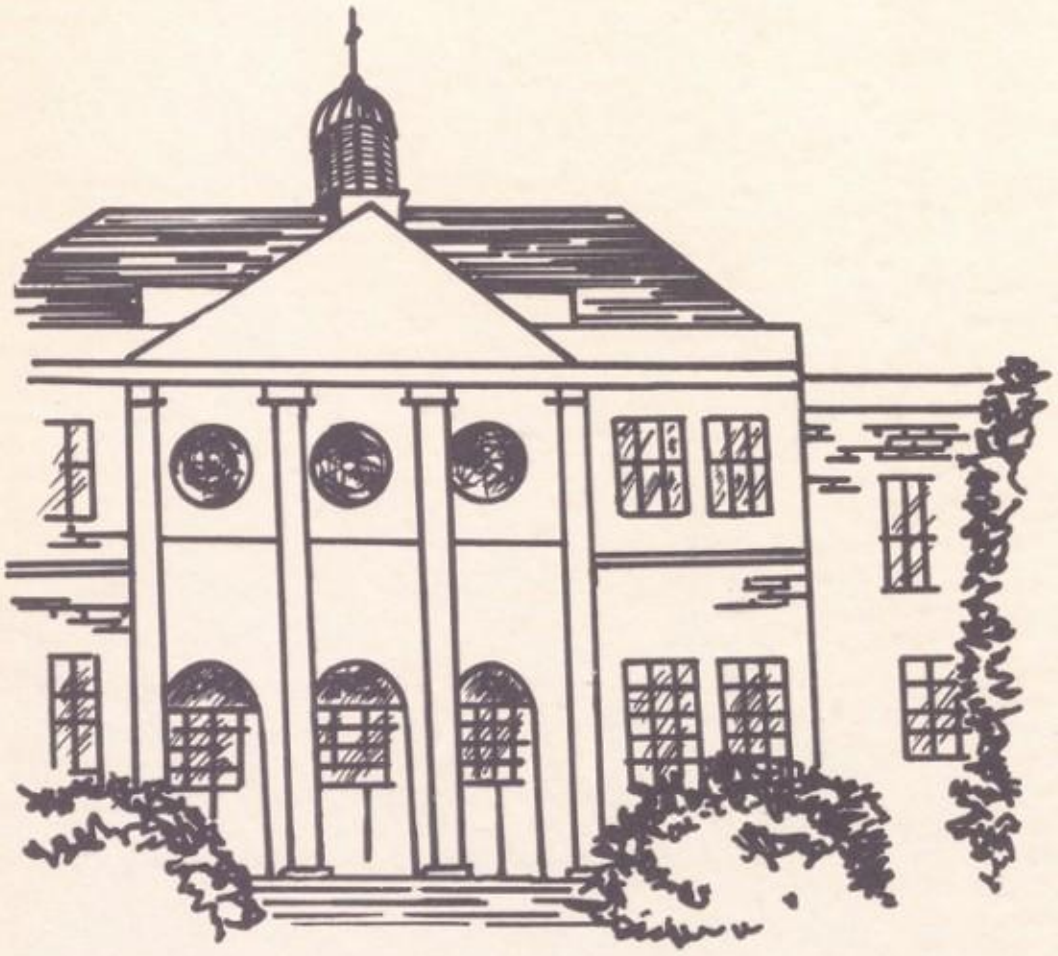


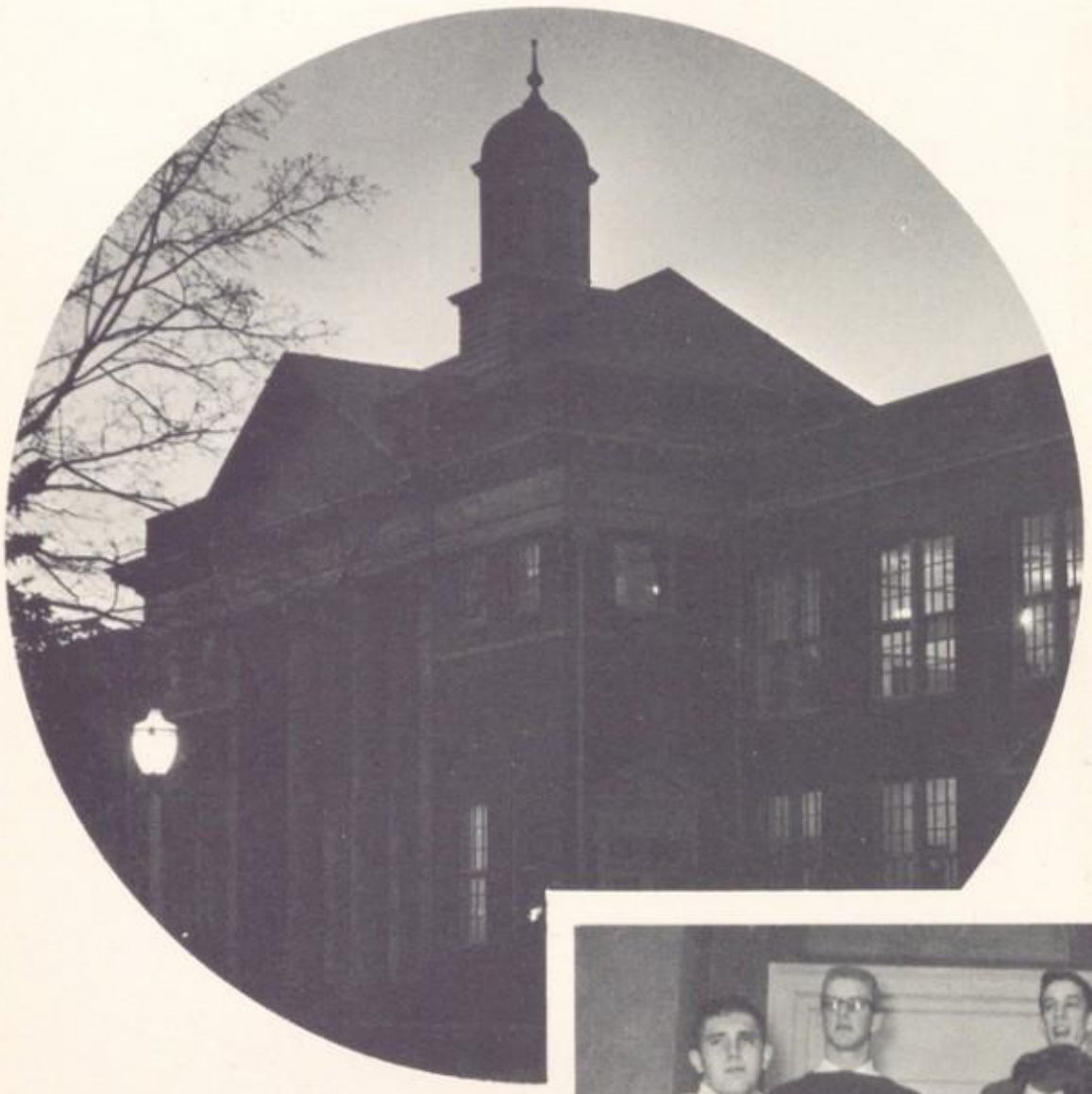
Bedford High

Nineteen Hundred And Sixty-three

The Peaks

School . Bedford, Virginia

Stairway of



Our halls are silent. We have completed another rewarding year. Our challenges have been great, but many have been achieved. Our activities have been numerous, but each has been happy and exciting. As we review this year, let's consider it as a step toward graduation and the future.

The Eighth Grade and Freshman years are filled with new experiences and hard study. The Sophomores have reached the middle step in their high school years. They find themselves leaders in curricular and extra-curricular activities. For the Juniors this year is a special one: being included in many Senior firsts and gaining prestige as they prepare to assume the roles of leadership and responsibility that next year will hold for them.

For the Seniors, this year is one never to be forgotten. '63 is their year and holds lasting memories. Proudly they mount the last step.

Steps of progress . . .

Progress

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throughout our year . . . 1963

Ever progressing toward

Cynthia Twark, a junior and upperclassman, gives some advice to Pate Torrence, an eighth grader.

Aubrey Strode, Henry Fizer, and Judy McGehee work on the SCA bulletin board for American Education Week.

Karen Coleman, Jennie Nance, Bruce Skelley, Ashby Whorley, Maxwell Goode, Jane Ferguson, and Earl Franklin leave BHS on a pretty fall afternoon.

We gain

the future . . .

A symbolic part of Bedford County is the Blue Ridge Mountains. The Peaks, a beautiful part of this mountain range, provide an appropriate name for our annual.

Mr. Lee helps Donna Harmon d e c i d e her future plans, as he guides many of the graduating seniors.

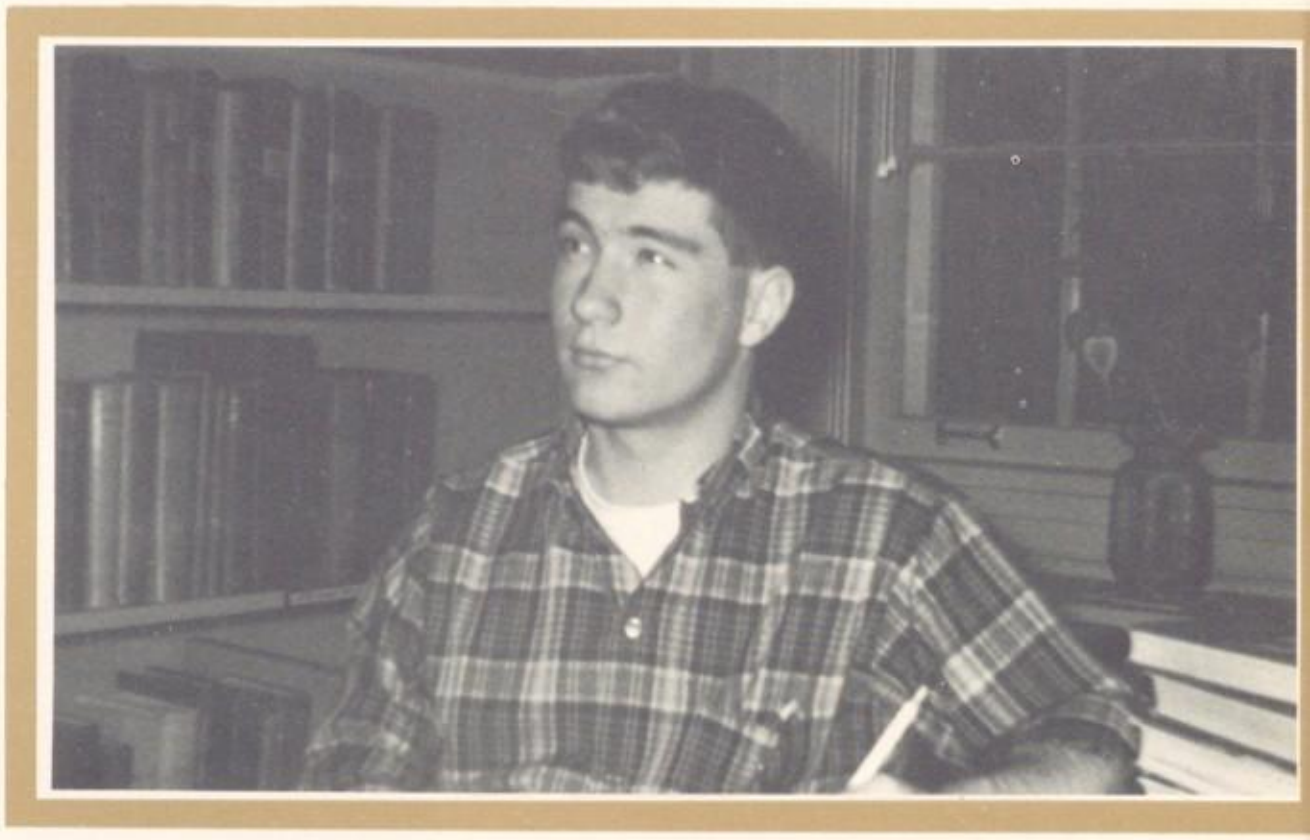
Ben Brown, Bobby Booth, David Goode, Joe Heller, Rodney Goggin, and Gary Dove support one of our future Otter football teams.

experience . . .

Academically . . . broadening

The search for knowledge is a never-ending search. It begins when we are yet very young and, for those with inquisitive minds, it lasts until we draw the final breath of life. Education is a concentrated search of learning.

For twelve years, or perhaps longer, we apply ourselves as diligently as possible to learn everything that we can. The academic program at B.H.S. offers a wide range of subjects to stimulate each student's mind and provides an atmosphere conducive to learning.



Bert Nance makes use of the town library when he is doing research work for term papers. What has caught your attention, Bert?

A group of jolly juniors — Gene Cocke, Rawley Milstead, Jean Scott, Shirley Bumgardner, and Loretta Lynch — are leaving the library for their next class.

Maurice Hickson points out Mars to Mrs. Meader, who is substituting for Mrs. Vest.

successfully meeting every

our interests and

On college day, representatives from various branches of the armed forces, as well as college representatives, talk with B.H.S. students.

While Skipper Owen and Ben Brown, Latin IV students, put up some of the Latin Christmas papers, Miss Boan and Huck Berry discuss another.

John Dudek and Mike Adams confer on a tough physics problem. We hope they got the right answer.

scholastic challenge . . .

Physically . . . tasting both

Bobby Brewbaker sends another ball on its way to two more points.

The coming of each season is marked by the beginning of another sport. Fall and football are synonymous. Basketball heralds the coming of winter. With the first breath of spring appear track and baseball. Cheerleaders are found in any season: in the fall with the football team; in the winter with the basketball team; and in the spring trying out for another year. Varsity and intramural sports are an integral part of school life. Were they removed, a vital cog would be removed from the complex mechanism of any school. Teams must naturally be selective, yet there is no one who could not find his niche in the sports world at B.H.S.: if not in varsity competition, then through the intramural and physical education programs.

The varsity basketball cheerleaders practice a favorite cheer, "And a one . . . ."

in varsity and intra

victory and defeat

Jimmy Franklin proves his skill at the high jump during an early spring track practice.

Mike Adams makes a valiant attempt!

Bobby Booth breaks away again!

mural competition . . .

Socially . . . participating

High school means many things to many people: simply an education for the studious, a place to participate in sports to some, a center for socializing for still others. But to most, school stands for all these things; each has its own separate and important place. The social facet of school life cannot be underestimated. Friends won during these years are important and the friendship they afford will last throughout a lifetime. Through the varied co-curricular activities at Bedford High, any student can find a circle of compatible friends. Class dances, post-game hops, club banquets, conventions, and everyday activities present opportunities to form new acquaintances.

The Shrine court presided over the annual Shrine football game. The pretty court: Kathy Weber, Peggy Stevens, Mary Colman, Susie Stephens, Virginia Watson, Sue Walker, and Tina Wright, queen.

Terry Thompson and Kennon Walden rehearse their parts in the one-act play which received a top rating of superior in district competition. The cast of "Man of Destiny" also included Bert Nance and Wayland Denton. Mrs. Cutler, assisted by Diane Behrens, student director, was in charge of the production.

and winning

in exciting events

Miss Stoneman and Miss Williams chat at the reception for new teachers given by the F.H.A.

The Bedford Fireman's Band played for many of our home games and led the Homecoming parade.

Shirley Twark and Richard Coleman, Latin slaves, repeat the matrimonial vows at the bidding of their masters.

A chartered bus transported forty-one excited Beta Club members to the Beta Convention in Richmond this year.

new friends . . .

This year presents

The science department of our school makes use of laboratory facilities. Chemistry students Ann Perrow, Chuck Reynolds, Jean Scott, Martie Walker, and Henry Fizer conduct and observe an experiment.

Democracy is at work at BHS. SCA elections take place late in March. Campaigning includes political propaganda, in the corridor and campaign speeches in an assembly.

School spirit is ever-present at our school. The singing of the school song is a traditional part of all Otter football games.

as one step of our

opportunities for progress

Richard Chaffin poses with his prize-winning project at the annual County Science Fair.

In February, BHS was saluted on Saturday Session. John Fizer, Ginger Reynolds, Marcia Ramsey, Jewel Lee Martin, and Nick Markham practice for their part in the talent presentation.

Walter Hopkins, Jackie Faribault, Sydney Troutman, and Wayland Denton chat on the lawn during graduation rehearsal.

stairway to the future.

We, the Class of 1963, honor . . .

Mrs. Harold C. Turner

For her patience, untiring effort, sincere interest and freely given time . . .

She is the one we honor for her devoted service to the students of Bedford High. But especially for her contributions to **The Peaks** we dedicate the 1963 **Peaks** to its sponsor,

MRS. HAROLD C. TURNER

Dedication

Gaining knowledge takes up a great portion of our time and lives. In these high school years, we are preparing for our future lives.

Preparation must be guided. Our outstanding faculty and administration do more than instill knowledge in our minds: they guide, direct, and encourage us in all our subjects and in our gifted fields. They are always ready and eager to give freely of their time to help us in our scholastic endeavors, as well as other phases of these days of preparation.

These wonderful and special friends will remain close to our hearts as we leave BHS and enter new fields to gain new knowledge.

Step of Knowledge

The administration and faculty guide and instruct students . . .

The step toward the future, which is epitomized in graduation from high school, would not be truly meaningful without a tribute to those who have led us through the turbulent years. How often our teachers are mercilessly scorned and belittled, but seldom are the bitter words meant by their speaker. In our hearts, each of us admires and respects these people who give so generously of their very lives to train and help us in our search for knowledge. With their aid, it is possible for us to make wise decisions. And the friendship which they have afforded us will last throughout the years.

Mr. Willis Oglesby
B.A.
Lynchburg College
University of Virginia
Instructor in Social Studies
Elementary School Principal

MR. WILLIAM N. LEE

Our Principal

Members of the Bedford County School Board are Mrs. J. N. Waldron, Jr., Mrs. T. J. Booker, Messrs. John R. Hyatt, Chairman; I. C. Goode; Roy E. Kyle, Superintendent; G. H. Burkholder; C. A. Saunders; W. O. Thomas; Dean Wilkerson; Dr. J. G. Potts. Absent from the picture is Mr. J. W. Allen.

The Guidance program helps students with future plans . . .

As students plan their futures, they often encounter problems and feel the need for advice. Miss Magann and Mr. Coleman, as guidance personnel, are always prepared to give such advice.

Miss Jean Magann
B.A., M.Ed.
Randolph Macon Woman's College
University of Virginia
Instructor in English
Guidance Coordinator

Kay Musgrove and Wayland Denton talk about colleges in which they are interested.

Mr. Sherrill Coleman
B.A., M.Ed.
Lynchburg College
University of Virginia
Instructor in Social Studies, Head Coach, Guidance Counselor

Mr. Joe D. Slone
B.A.
Emory and Henry College
Instructor in Mathematics

Mrs. H. C. Turner
B.S.
Madison College
Instructor in Mathematics

Mr. J. H. Cutler
B.S.
Hampden Sydney College
Instructor in Mathematics

The Fine Arts broaden interests . . .

Je t'aime and ego amo te may be the extent of one's knowledge of the French and Latin language, yet even this little can enrich our lives. During four years of Latin and three years of French, a student at B.H.S. can learn to fully appreciate a great deal more than these simple phrases. For those who are musically inclined, music chorus and a class in music appreciation are offered.

Miss Virginia Boan
B.A., M.Ed.
Randolph-Macon Woman's College
University of Virginia
Instructor in Latin and Mathematics

Miss Williams, who replaced Mrs. Withey at mid-term, helps Gene Cocke with his French translation.

Mrs. T. G. Withey
B.A.
University of St. Thomas
Instructor in French

Mathematics and Science build a foundation for future engineers and scientists . . .

Advanced mathematics and science courses are offered in addition to the basic courses in order to emphasize the importance of these subjects. Each college-bound student can be well prepared for the higher mathematics and science which he will encounter in college.

Mrs. J. J. Thaxton
B.A.
Randolph-Macon Woman's College
Instructor in Science

Mrs. Vest watches as Elizabeth Shy explains an experiment.

Miss Margaret McGavock
B.A.
Instructor in Music

Mr. William S. Waid
B.S.
University of Virginia
Instructor in Science

Mr. Stoneman, who began teaching at mid-term, makes out a physics test. Let's hope it's not too hard!

Mrs. Viola Vest
B.S.
Longwood College
Instructor in Science

Mrs. T. F. English
B.A.
Lynchburg College
Instructor in English and
Social Studies

Miss Josephine Bibb
B.A.
Randolph-Macon Woman's
College
Instructor in English

Mrs. J. H. Cutler
B.A.
Longwood College
Instructor in English

Mrs. L. H. Forsyth
B.A.
Madison College
Instructor in Social Studies
and English

English and Social Studies add further knowledge . . .

The person who has a broad knowledge and a good command of his own language is very fortunate. The English department at Bedford High strives to assist each student in gaining this knowledge and command. In addition to language, the wise student realizes that a well-rounded education must include adequate knowledge of history and government, which is offered in the social studies department in our school.

Mrs. Cutler discusses a selection from the ninth grade literature book with her freshman class.

Morris Hall and Lynn Scott locate a position on the map in Mrs. Forsyth's eighth grade history class.

Miss Theresa Stoneman
B.A.
Emory and Henry College
Instructor in Social Studies

Mrs. Falls runs off a stencil.

Mrs. E. L. Falls
B.S. in Education
Radford College
Instructor in Business Education

The vocational subjects teach the practical arts . . .

Through the vocational subjects, industrial arts, business education and home economics, students learn both useful everyday skills and those more specialized abilities. Many BHS students take one or more of the vocational subjects during their high school careers. Through such a course, the horizon of the student is greatly broadened.

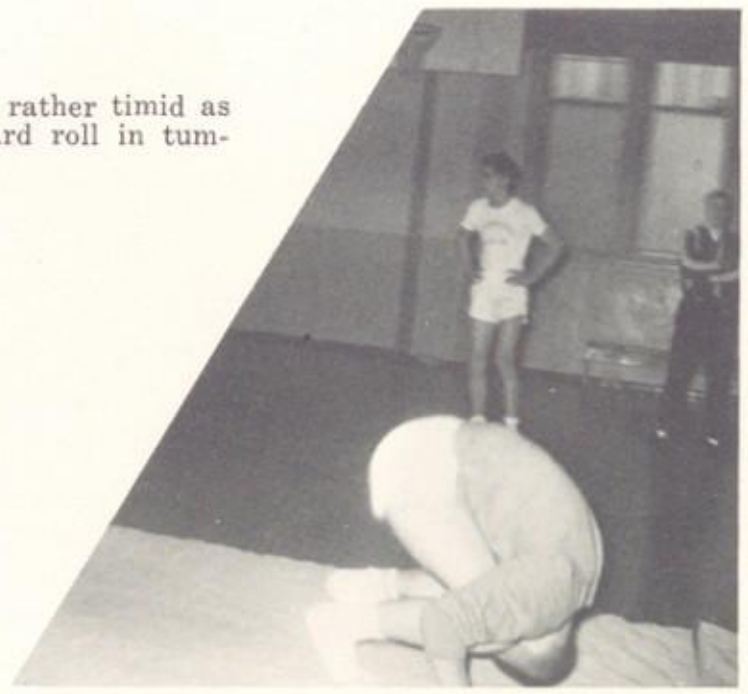
Mr. J. J. Thaxton
Virginia Polytechnic Institute
Instructor in Industrial Arts

Mrs. Whorley adds the finishing touches to her Santa Claus, which she had made in her Home Ec. I classes.

Mrs. A. L. Whorley
B.S.
Madison College
Instructor in Home Economics

Mr. Thaxton and James Agee are hard at work in shop class.

Mr. Paul Sherman
B.S.
Davis and Elkins College
Instructor in Health
and Physical Education



Billy Wilkes looks rather timid as he begins a forward roll in tumbling class.

Physical Education helps make Young America physically fit . . .

Barbara Dove, Lynn Roberts, and Saundra Krantz work on a health assignment.

In this age of increasing emphasis on physical fitness, it is necessary for each school to encourage skill in sports and training in health education. Our well-rounded physical education program added a new feature this year: a co-ed class in many phases of dancing was held each Friday.

Mrs. James McCabe
B.S.
Radford College
Instructor in Health and
Physical Education

Elizabeth Berry and Jane Dudek vie for a jump ball.

Msr. Nichols types a letter, one of her many duties as secretary to Mr. Lee.

Miss Virginia Ruff
B.A., B.S.
College of William and Mary
Librarian

Endlessly teachers guide students along the steps of progress . . .

During the vital teen years, many mistakes may be made, but, fortunately, considerate teachers stand ever ready to assist us and help us prevent the more serious mistakes. With their help, most of us will complete high school and will successfully launch our journey through life.

Miss Ruff catalogues a new book.

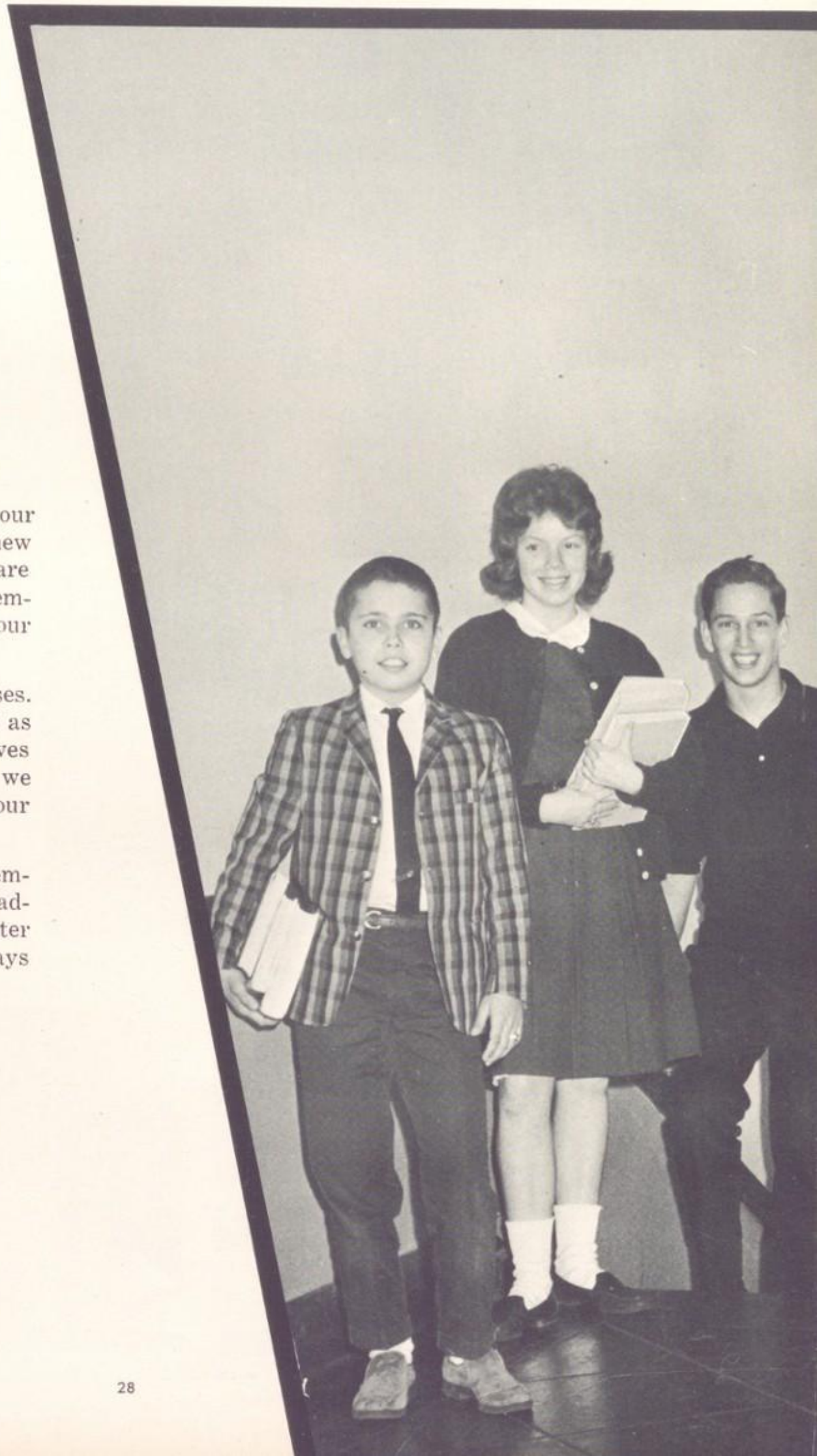
Mrs. Pinion and Mrs. Ramsey relax for a few minutes with a cup of coffee during their busy day.

A cheerful smile greets students in the morning and afternoons as Mrs. Smith directs traffic at school.

Friends make up an important part of our lives, now and in the future. At BHS new friends are made and old friendships are strengthened. Our most outstanding memories of high school life are probably of our friends.

We will also have memories of our classes. For at Bedford High class spirit, as well as school spirit, is strong. Each of us believes that our class is the best ever and that we are a member of an exclusive group—our class.

The Class of '63 has many wonderful memories of this special year. This year's graduates will always remember their Alma Mater because the true spirit of BHS will always be a part of each of its graduates.



Step of Preparation

Senior Officers

President .....Bert Nance
Vice-President .....Bill Duis
Secretary .....Peggy Stevens
Treasurer .....Wayne Chandler
Mascots .....Carol Chandler,
Emerald Coleman

Mabel Alice Adams

Michael Padgett Adams

Alice Marie Arrington

The Senior Class of 1963

Seniors Donna Arthur, Nick Markham, Andy Yowell, and Sue Woodworth pause for a chat on the way to class.

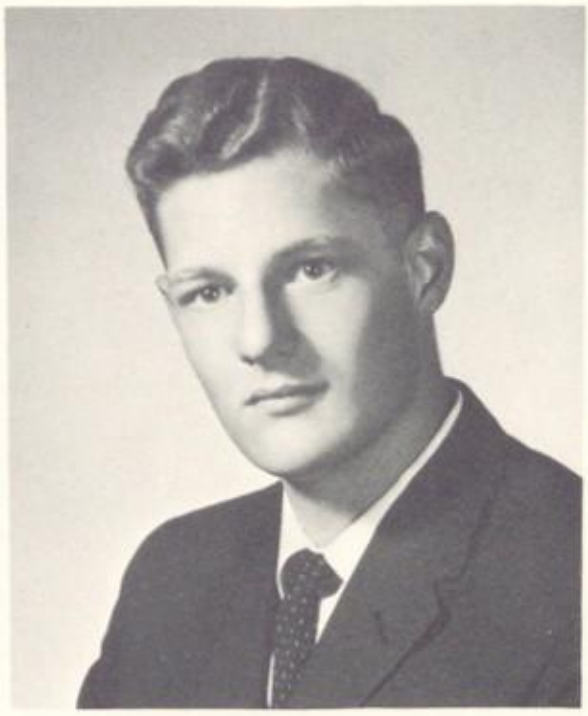
Donna Anne Arthur

James Edward Agee

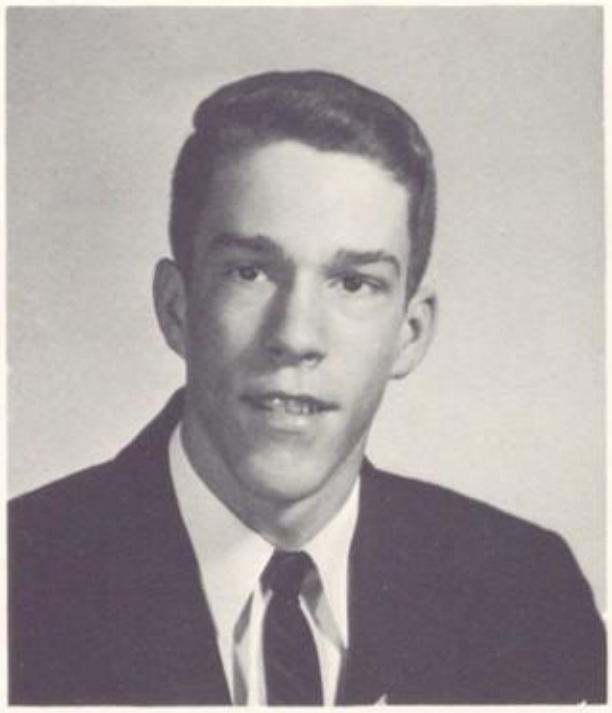
William Wallace Berry IV

Lynda Craghead Boone

Jill Clare Bowyer



Thomas Glynn Bradley, Jr.



Benjamin Boan Brown

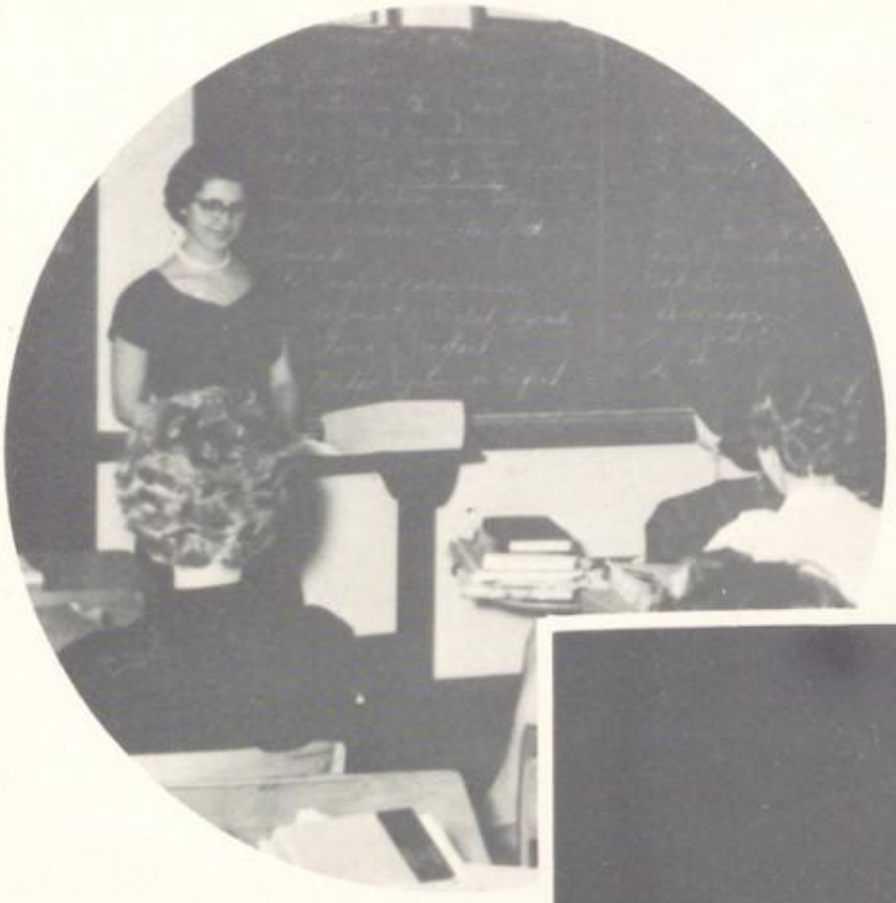
Gary Wood, Evelyn McKinney, Jackie Faribault, and Dorinda Mitchell concentrate on a government quiz.

The Seniors have . . .

Wayne Edward Chandler

Jerry Whitfield Chesson

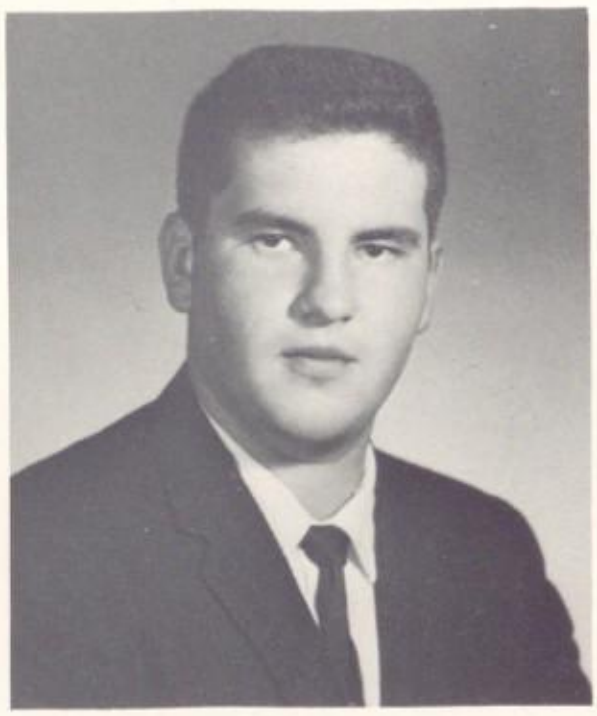
Alice Mae Coleman



Doris Jenkins gives a report as she fulfills another of Miss Bibb's English assignments.

Peggy Stevens, escorted by Lloyd Goode, looks happy as she represents the Senior class on the Shrine Court.

Elva Mae Craig



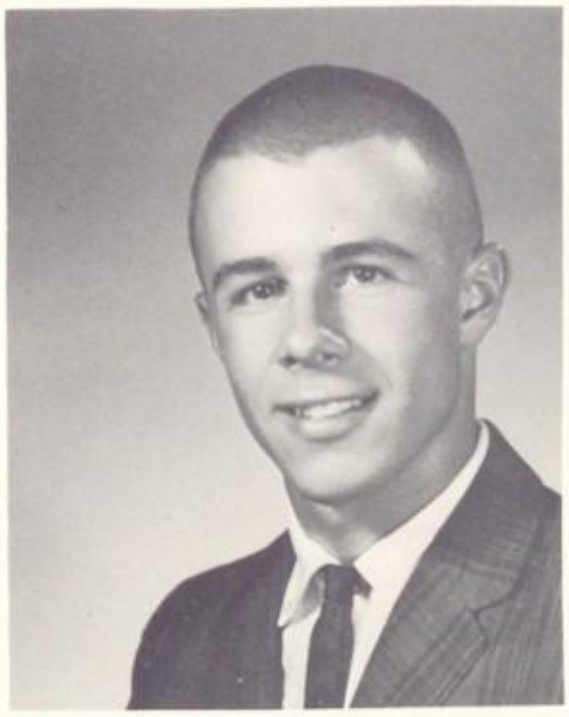
Darrol Elwin Davis, Jr.

. . . mounted the last step.

Wayland Beecher Denton

Frank Price Draper

John Albert Dudek



William Henry Duis, Jr.

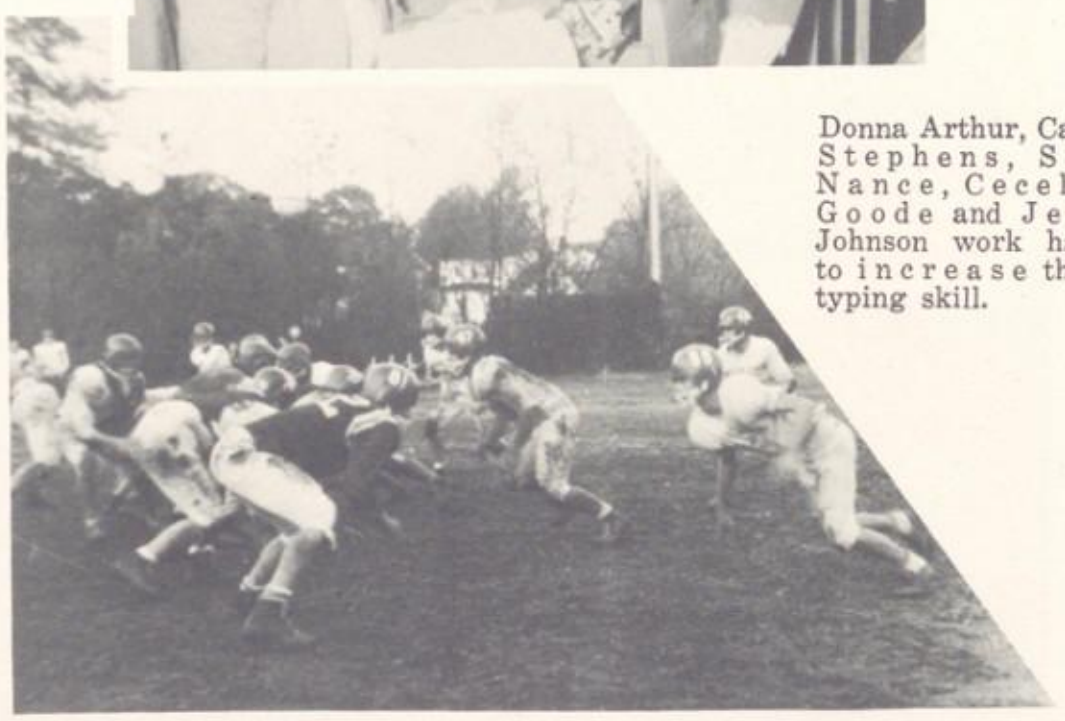
Joyce May Duncan

Jacqueline Anne Faribault

John Edward Fisher

John Richard Fizer

Presenting their play, "Cheaper



Donna Arthur, Carol Stephens, Sue Nance, Cecelia Goode and Jean Johnson work hard to increase their typing skill.

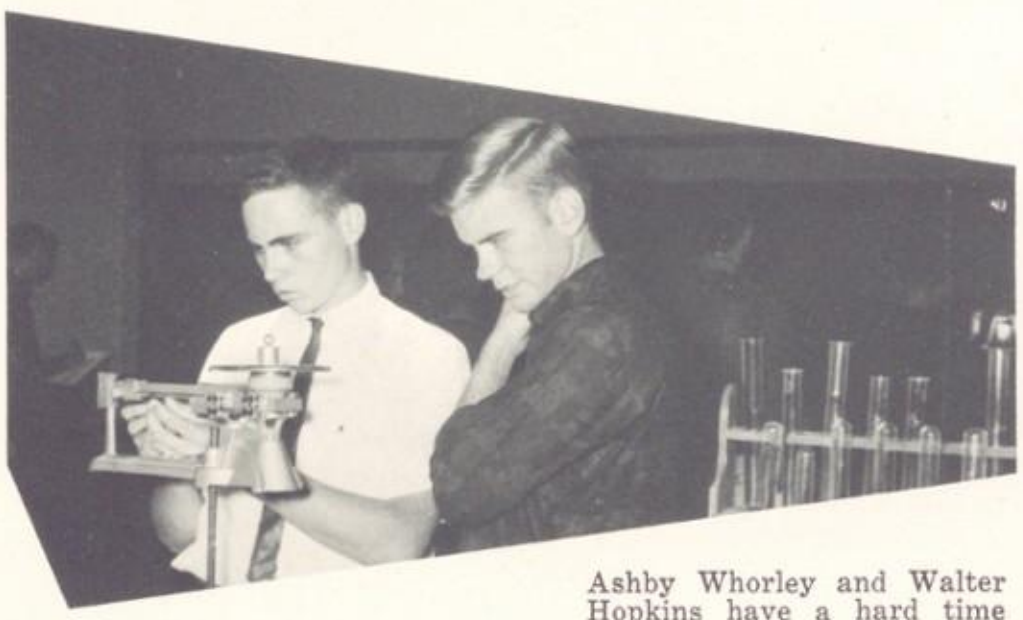
The Has-Beens move together as they defeat the Never-Will-Bees, 6-0, in the annual game.

Carolyn Ann Foutz

Rodney Goode Goggin

Cecelia Lloyd Goode

by the Dozen," and the Variety Show . . .



Ashby Whorley and Walter Hopkins have a hard time being so exact in physics.

William David Goode

Donna Kaye Harman

Loretta Jane Heck

Marcia Linnette Hicks

Walter Cunningham Hopkins

John Glenwood Hurt

Doris Anne Jenkins

Robert Edward Johnson

Jean Marie Johnson

Mrs. Cutler works patiently with the Senior Play cast to produce a good play.

they displayed their . . .

Walter Wilson Johnston, II

Emily Yvonne Jones

Hilda Mae Kendrick

Bill Duis and David Goode add a new twist to a basketball game, standing on their heads.

Guiseppe, Wayland Denton, ponders the actions of Napoleon in the one-act play.

true class and school spirit . . .

David Lamar Leach, Jr.

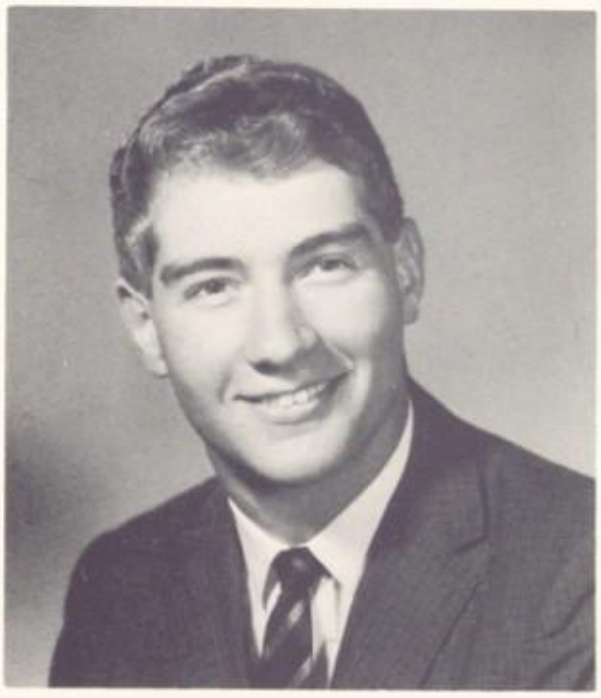
Gladys Evelyn McKinney

Robert Nicholas Markham

Dorinda Dawn Mitchell

Virginia Watson, Peggy Stevens, Sue Nance, and Cecelia Goode seem to be enjoying the French Club banquet.

Ben Brown and Rodney Goggin work on their senior cards and graduation announcements.



Harold Albert Nance, Jr.

They assumed their roll of leadership with

Martha Susan Nance

Carole Overstreet

Robert James Owen

James William Owens

Mary Serinda Saunders

Daniel Etheridge Scott

Senior homerooms are busy places all during the day, especially before school and at lunch.

Miss Magann assists Jean Johnson and Jackie Faribault in the selection of college and career information.

determination and dependability.

Pamelia Marshall Scott

Philip Andrew Sloss

James Wallace Smith

Marilyn Elizabeth Smith

Lois Virginia Spradlin

Carol Ellen Stephens

They now leave Bedford

Sue Walker and Emily Jones exchange Senior cards. Are you tired of writing them?

Elva Craig, J. G. Hurt, and Lynda Boone use the library. Are they reference books or parallels?

Peggy Anne Stevens

Jennie Marie Teass

Mary Frances Thaxton

Theresa Thompson

Marion Jane Toms

Sydney Anne Troutman

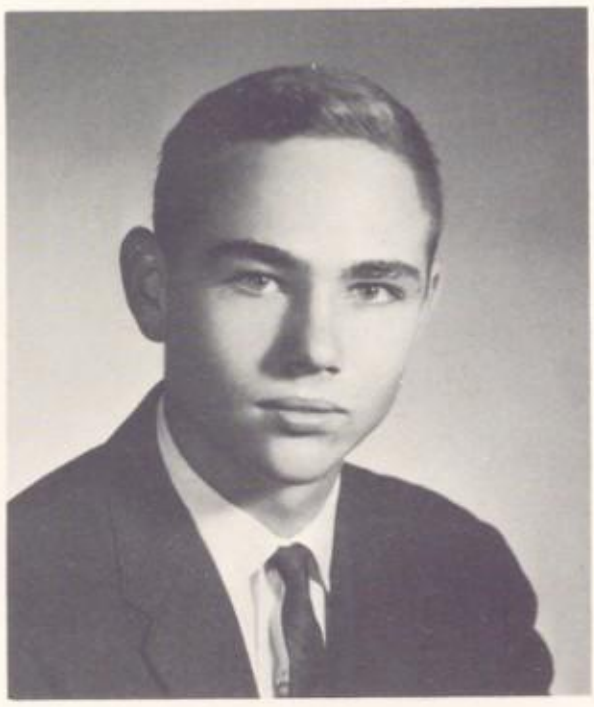
High and enter the future . . .

Bert Nance and Nick Markham, our '62 football co-captains, encourage support during a pep rally.

Hilda Kendrick, a hardworking Senior, works in the grade school office during her study hall.

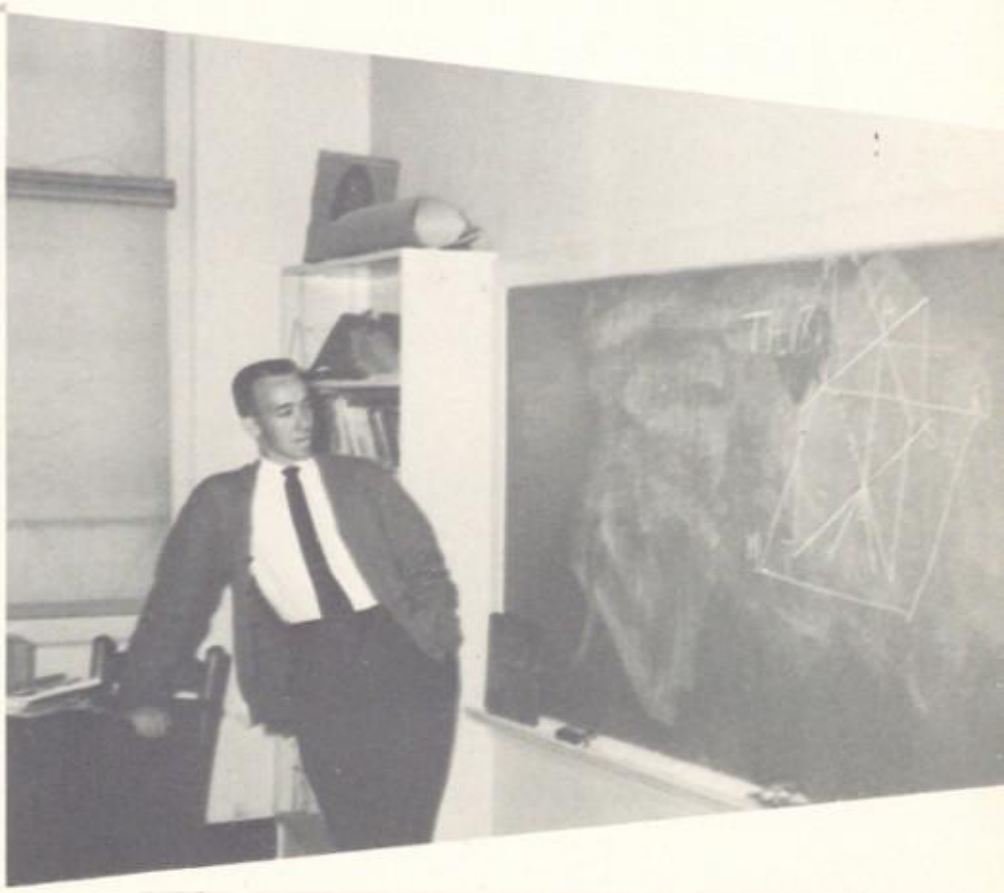
Carolyn Frances Wheeler

Ashby Lee Whorley, Jr.



Charles Raymond Wood

Gary Loyd Wood



The Senior captains and Junior captains meet with the officials before the Powder-Puff game. The outcome — Seniors, 14; Juniors, 0.

With wonderful memories of

Gerald Wayne Wood

Brenda Sue Woodworth

Donna Sue Wooldrige

Mr. Slone inspects one of his "solid" drawings.

Christine Anne Wright

William Andrew Yowell, III

Pam Scott, Sydney Troutman, Mary Fran Thaxton, Lynnette Hicks, and Tom Bradley correct a French III assignment.

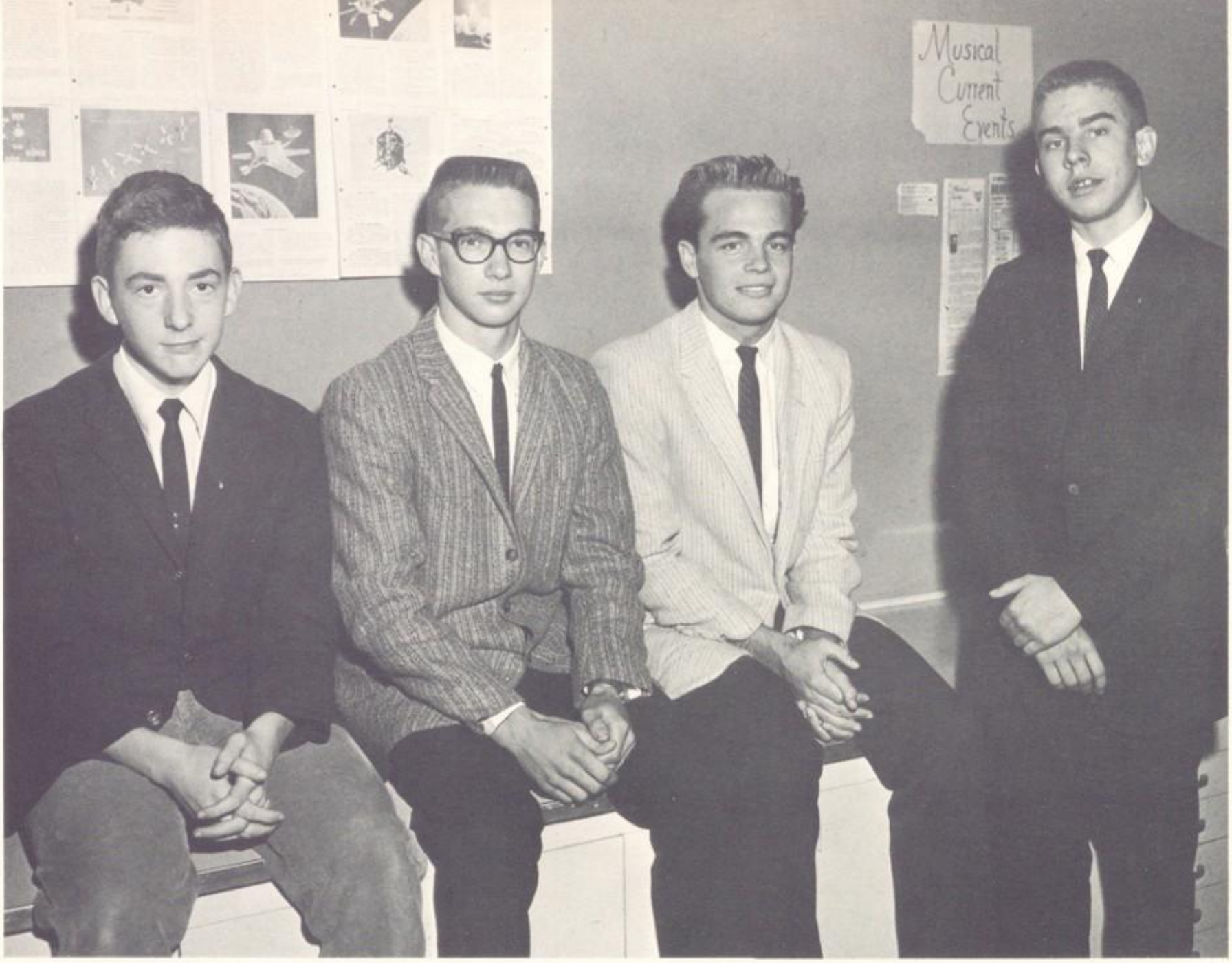
The Fall Carnival brought about work in many classes. Home Ec IV students, Evelyn McKinney, Cindy Saunders, and Carolyn Wheeler, make items for their booth.

their Senior year, 1963.

Donald Winston Zimmerman

The Seniors have reached the summit of the stairway. Their ascension has at times seemed difficult but they have mounted each step proudly and with new determination and higher goals. Each of the Seniors has always been proud to be a part of the Class of '63. They have worked together in all phases of school life.

As the Seniors enter the future and begin another Stairway of Progress they will have new obstacles to overcome and new challenges to meet. And yet, each of them will always have fond memories of their friends, activities, and their year, '63, at B.H.S.



The executive committee of the junior class engineered a wonderful prom. They are Henry Fizer, treasurer; Jerry Cunningham, secretary; Jimmy Jones, vice president; and George Cooper, president.

The Junior Class

Marty Walker and Judy McGehee are already seriously considering that big step, college, which they will make in just two years.

Neared

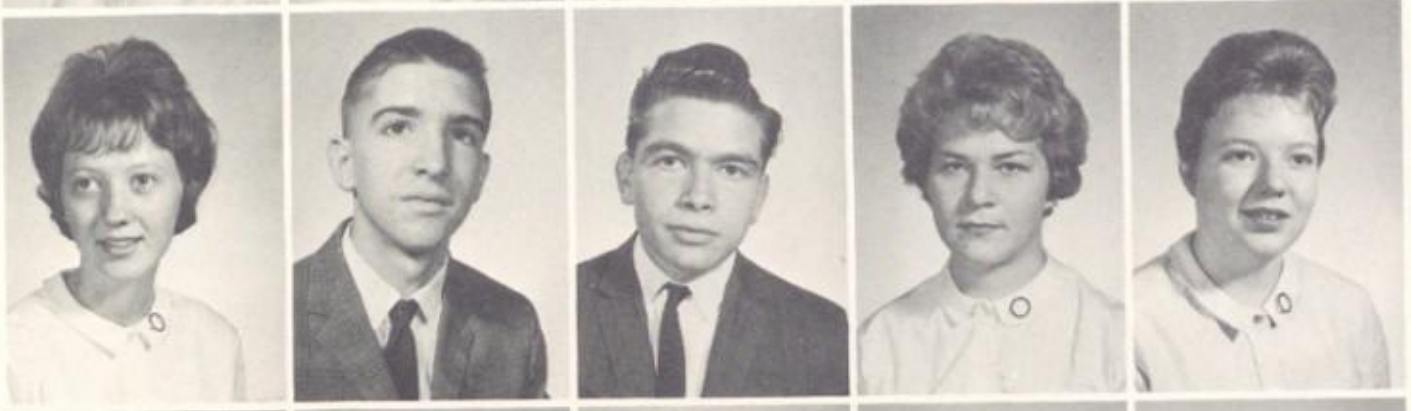
the

final

step . . .

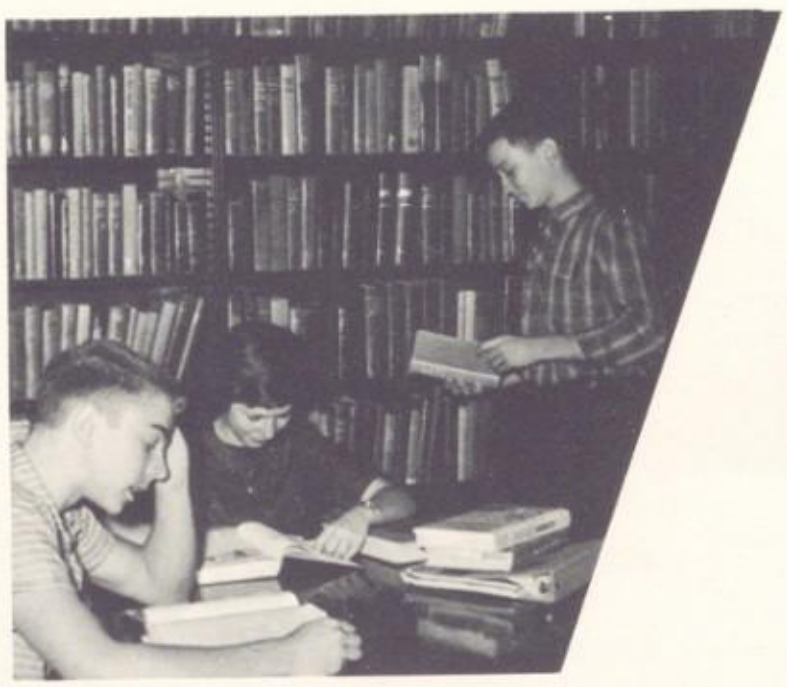
Patsy Abbott
Linda Albert
Brenda Arrington
Mary L. Ashley
Diane Behrens

Shirley Blankenship
Sonny Bowyer
Larry Brookshier
Betty Brown
Shirley Bumgardner



Judy Campbell
Pat Cassidy
Betty Chaffin
Carolyn Citty
Gene Cocke

. . . As they completed an eventful year.



While Ronnie Saunders chooses a good book, George Cooper and Maxwell Goode study for their next class.

Pam Coffey
Betty Creasy

Paul Coleman
Jimmy Cundiff

George Cooper
J. Cunningham

Clifford Daniels

Clifton Daniels

Ward Dean

Billy Dill

Gerald Dooley

Henry Fizer

Madie Goode

Maxwell Goode

James Gregg

Nancy Hanks

Emerging successfully from the strain . . .

Judy Turner, hard-pressed editor of the paper, has a smile for our photographer.

Mr. Oglesby gives his U.S. history class an assignment.

Ellen Heller

Dana Hogan

Billy Hubbard

Coral Lee Hurt

Hal Jarvis

Bill Johnson

Jimmy Jones

Suzanne Jones

Ricky Lalonde

Roger Layne

Mickey Lazenby

John Leftwich

Loretta Lynch

Jewel Lee Martin

Judy McGehee

Nancy Meador

Philip Michael

Rawley Milstead

Loretta Lynch aids Miss Magann by writing assignments on the board. What on earth is Marcia thinking about?

Jean Scott examines part of her science fair project.

. . . Of National Merits and multitudinous aptitude tests, they climaxed their year socially . . .

Priscilla Mitchell

Edith Overstreet

Patsy Overstreet

Ruth Owens

Danny Pentecost

Ann Perrow

Lewis Powers

Marcia Ramsey

Charles Reynolds

Chuck Reynolds

. . . With the arrival

of their class rings . . .

First year French students Shirley Bumgardner, Diane Upton, Ginger Reynolds, Marjorie Smith, and Viola Witt examine a poster.

Miss Magann directs the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude tests which Ruth Owens and Jewel Lee Martin took this year.

Typing students Nancy Meador, Carolyn Citty, Shirley Blankenship, Ann Perrow, and Sydney Troutman practice diligently.

Eddie Reynolds

Ginger Reynolds

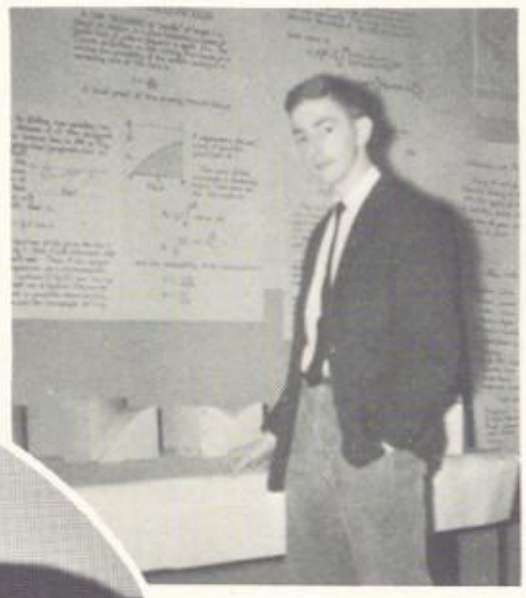
Ronnie Robertson

Wesley Saferight

Ronnie Saunders

Donnie Scott

Mr. Lee presents Shirley Bumgardner and Nancy Hanks with their class rings on a very important day for the juniors.



Henry Fizer exhibits his project which brought a first place in the Science Fair.

Jewel Lee Martin seems to be enjoying the Science Club's December meeting.

Jean Scott
Bruce Skelley

Joanne Scott
Marjorie Smith
Russell Stevens

Bobby Scott
Cheryl Stanley
Barbara Toms

. . . And another great Junior-Senior Prom.

Wayne Toms
Ray Trail
Judy Turner
Cynthia Twark
Diane Upton

Roy Vaughn
Marty Walker
Virginia Watson
Viola Witt
Richard Wilkes

Johnny Overstreet, vice president; Kay Musgrove, treasurer; Laura Ann Parker, secretary; and Freddie Duis, president, served as sophomore class officers and helped to make their year a successful one.

The Sophomore Class

Assumed an ever increasing role . . .

Freddie Duis, Gail Fellers, Peyton Brown, and Bobby Brewbaker toast the new members of the Latin Club.

Part of every English class is learning to give a good speech, as Charlotte Padgett finds out.

Lewis Abbott
Don Arrington
Brenda Arthur
G. M. Bays
Priscilla Biggs
Dale Bowles
Helen Bowling

Norma Bowling
Pat Bowyer
Bessie Boyle
Henry Boyle
Bobby Brewbaker
Betty Brown
Peyton Brown

Johnny Bryant
Sara Camden
Jimmy Carter
Richard Chaffin
Warren Childers
Bonnie Clay
Mary Coleman

. . . *In school affairs* . . .

Betty Craig

Mark Craig

Linda Croft

Jim Cravens

Leon Deal

Corinne DeSimone

Wayne Dooley

Barbara Dove

Sophomores Dick Thomas, Tom English, Jim Nichols, Johnny Overstreet, and Freddie Duis listen intently in Algebra II class.

Jack Toms and Gene Parker learn how to find the altitudes of a triangle by using adjustable triangles in geometry.

Advanced chemistry students Jim Cravens, Aubrey Strode, and Dick Thomas put their heads together on a tough problem.

Priscilla Biggs and Earl Franklin find the bulletin board in Miss Stoneman's room very interesting.

Janet Walker and Kay Musgrove must be discussing ideas for their class party during this sophomore class meeting.

. . . As they enthusiastically . . .

Danny Dowdy
Carolee Dudley
Freddie Duis
Alex Elliott
Tommy English
Lynwood Epperly

Becky Eubank
Carolyn Eubank
Freddy Fellers
Gail Fellers
James Ferguson
Betty Fitzgerald

Jimmy Foster
Earl Franklin
Jimmy Franklin
Sharon Gray
Eddie Hanner
Pam Harrison

Janet Hawkins
Shirley Haynes
Rachel Heck
Ronnie Henderson
Jimmy Hogan
Elizabeth Holdren

Dianne Hughes
Carol Hurt
Wayne Inge
Molly Jenkins
Van Johnson
James Kendrick

Freddie Duis gives the entertainment and decoration committees some general instructions pertaining to the class party.

Mrs. English is holding a discussion in her sophomore English class. Listening intently are Sara Camden, Rodney Moses and Richard Chaffin.

. . . *Began another year.*

Bucky Key
Saundra Krantz
Edie Rae Kyle
Billy Lalonde
Kandi Lechner
Randi Lechner

Terry Lee
Patsy Little
Lynda Marshall
Deland Martin
Patricia May
Teresa McKinney

Bobby Mitchell
Dita Montanes
Rodney Moses
Donald Musgrove
Kay Musgrove
Carolyn Newman

Barbara Nichols
Ronnie Noell
Johnny Overstreet
Mike Overstreet
Charlotte Padgett
Gene Parker

Laura Ann Parker
Mike Parker
Nicky Parker
Larry Pettry
Ronnie Powell
Cynthia Powers

Mike Prillaman
Donna Pugh
Paul Reynolds
Lynn Roberts
Liza Rucker

Carolyn St. Clair
Johnny St. Clair
Carol Skelley
Frank Smith
Pat Smith

Bobby Sowers

Linda Spradlin

Ronnie Stanley

Aubrey Strode

Mary Stump

Mary Teass

Skip Tharp

Dick Thomas

They worked together industriously . . .

Billy Wilkes just can't resist smearing Kandi Lechner, a new sophomore in our school.

Molly Jenkins concentrates on stitching a straight line on her practice sheet in Home Ec. I.

Our photographer must have backed these French I students into a corner to get this picture!

Jimmy Thompson

Shireen Tolley

Jack Toms

Claudia Twark

Billy Toms

Faye Toms

Edwin Waddell

Janice Waldron

Susan Webber

Leonard Whorley

Billy Wilkes

John Wilkes

Ellen Wood

Glenn Wood

Carol Woodroof

Janet Woodworth

. . . Actively participating in all phases of school life.

Richard Chaffin and Alex Elliott take a break during strenuous track practice.

Skip Tharp tries skating for the first time. I wonder how often he fell down?

Barbara Dove and Claudia Twark pass out refreshments at the Zeta-Phi Christmas party.

The Freshmen were led by their capable officers — Jimmy Whorley, vice president; Barbara Rucker, secretary; Gayle Robertson, treasurer; and Johnny Nance, president.

The Freshman Class

Betty Arrington
Linda Aultice
Sandra Ayers
Philip Beckman

Junior Blankenship
Barbara Boone
Bobby Booth
Orpha Bowden
Frances Bowling

David Bradley
George Brown
Norma Jean Brown
Tommy Bryant
Pat Callahan
Alec Carter

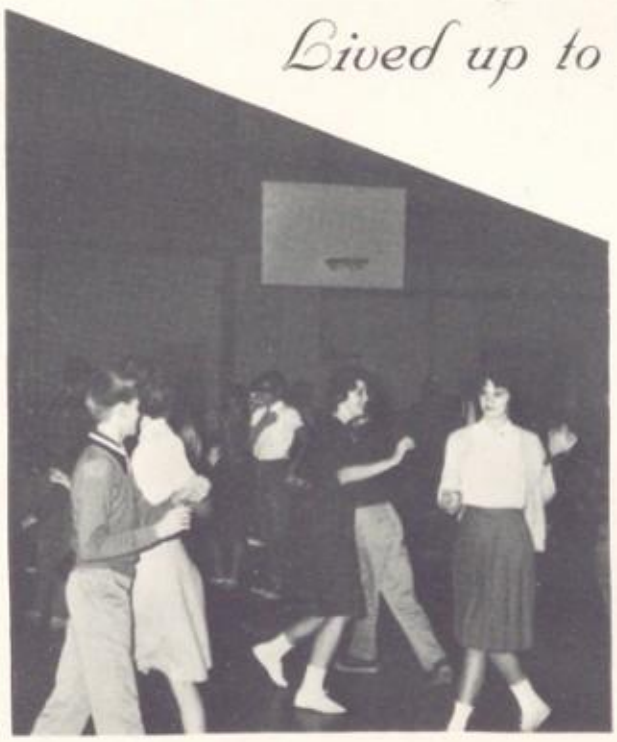
Kenneth Childress
Diana Coleman
Glenn Coleman
Karen Coleman
Richard Coleman
J. C. Cousart

Ronnie Cox
Maria Craghead
Jimmy Creasy
Sylvia Crouch
Van Daniels
Linda Donald

Roland Dooley
Carolyn Duncan
Doris Duncan
Scarlette Edwards
David Eubank
Gary Faribault

Robert Fulton
Peggy Gibbs
Sam Gill
Lloyd Goode
Randa Goode
Starr Grahame

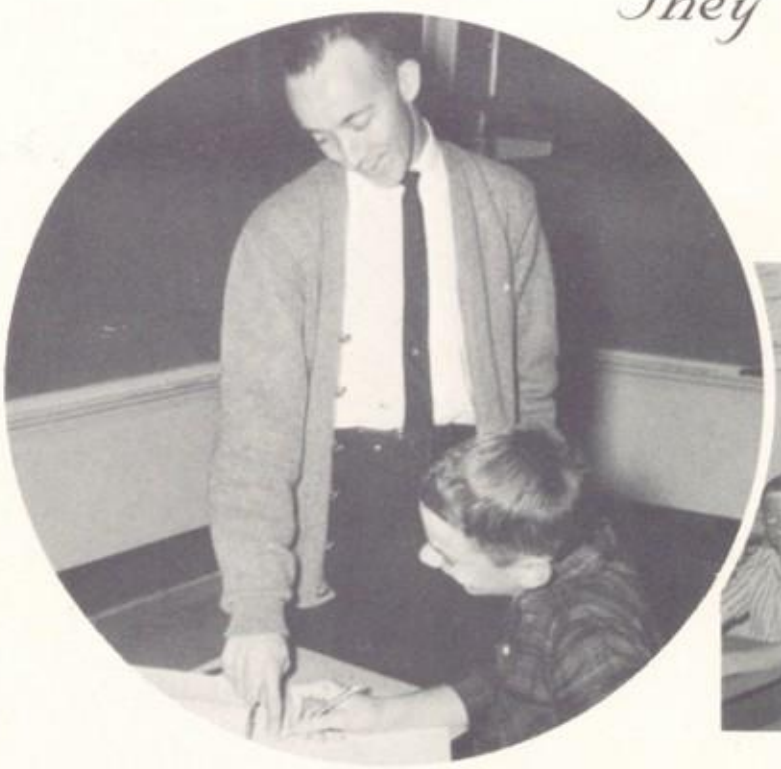
Lived up to its responsibilities with zeal . . .



These freshmen take part in a square dance figure as part of their co-ed physical education class.

Miss Stoneman and her world history class discuss the U. N. during a world crisis.

They have memories of hard work, new friends, and exciting activities . . .



Mr. Slone explains an Algebra I problem to Joe Heller.

Painted faces are always a familiar sight on the first day of school.

Glenn Hardy
Mac Harvey
Mary Keith Harvey
Joe Heller
Tommy Henderson
Hugh Howell

Bobby Hurt
Rob Jarvis
Campbell Johnson
David Johnson
Ricky Johnson
Dee Jones

Mike Jurkus
Sylvia Kendall
Philip Kennedy
Watts Key
Judy Kirby
Kay Lay

Jo Anne Leach
Joyce Lee
Gary Lewis
Conya Lohmeyer
Sandra Martin
Wanda Martin

Karen Massie
Jimmy McDaniel
Jerry McDowell
Linda McKinney
Bonnie Meador
Phillip Mitchell

Kent Montogomery
Billisue Morgan
Dorothy Moseley
Granville Nance
Jennie Nance
John Nance

Wayne Overstreet
Johnny Phelps
Gary Phillips
Virginia Pierce
Charles Poff
Harvey Poff

Pat Pollard
Faye Pugh
Sandra Reid
Delores Reynolds
Chester Roberts
Gayle Robertson

Ronnie Robinson
Barbara Rucker
Donna Rutoskey
Lawton Saunders
Marjorie Scott
Elizabeth Shy

Harold Smith
Libby Sowers
Susie Stephens
Margaret Stephenson
Donna Stone
George Strode

Mr. Cutler distributes a state test booklet to Granville Nance, one of his home room students.

as they made a place for themselves . . .

Jimmy McDaniel, Starr Grahame and Sam Gill perform menial tasks for their slave day master.

Allen Thomas
Betty Jean Toms
Jimmy Toms
Sandra Troutman
Penny Turpin

Shirley Twark
Kennon Walden
Gene Ward
Beech Watson
Walter Watson

. . . *in the heart of B. H. S.*

These students are deeply involved in English grammar. J. C., Cousart finds some point difficult.

Gayle Robertson, Sylvia Kendall, Virginia Pierce, Jennie Nance, Barbara Rucker, Granville Nance, Jimmy Whorley, Beech Watson, and Johnny Nance, freshmen who served as College Day guides, are ready to go to work.

Jimmy Whorley

Donnie Wilkerson

Faye Wilkerson

Helen Wilson

Sarah Wilson

Donald Wingfield

Vicky Witt

Barbara Woodford

Tim Worley

David Johnson, Linda Aultice, Lawton Saunders, Jimmy Creasey, Margaret Stephenson, Dee Jones, and Lloyd Goode seem to be having a good time at the freshman party.

Officers of the eighth grade—Gail Rider, secretary; Francis Nance, vice president; Mary Becky Wingfield, treasurer; and Jackie Harris, president—helped their class adjust to high school life.

The Eighth Grade Class

Was initiated into the whirl . . .

Elizabeth Berry
Carol Bolling
Bonnie Brewbaker

Freddie Bush
Junior Carter
Betty Cash
Ina Wray Cassidy
Marylyn Coffey

Joyce Craig
Linda Craig
Ronnie Craig
Carolyn Creasy
Mary DeWitt
Gary Dove
Jane Dudek

Allen Wills, Jerry McDowell, Francis Nance, Jackie Harris, Bob Graves, and Edward Stanley gather to talk during lunch period.

Our Cameraman surprises Mr. Cutler's math class.

. . . Of high school life and became . . .

Jane Ferguson
Virginia Gilmer
Bob Graves
Billy Gray
Morris Hall
Gale Hardy
Jackie Harris

Ginnie Havens
Maurice Hickson
Butch Hogan
Diane Hylton
Donna Hylton
Diane Johnson
Yvonne Johnson

Clifton Krantz
Robert Lambeth
Joey Laughon
Andy Lee
Nancy Lindsay
Barbara Little
Linda Martin

Pam May
Sheba Ann McFall
Wayne Melton
Bruce Mitchell
Francis Nance
Johnny Nichols
Jane Overstreet

Shelby Overstreet
Freddie Owens
Oscar Padgett
Randy Pettry
Terry Phillips
Wanda Phillips
Gary Raflo

Teresa Randazzo
Gail Rider
Judy Ryder
Lynn Scott
Judy Sexton
Dick Skelley

. . . Accustomed to the fast pace set by upperclassmen.

Glenn Smith
Richard Spradlin
Edward Stanley

Earl Sutherland
Pate Torrence
Bonnie Trent

Curtis Vaughn
Kathy Webber
Allen Wills

Pat Wilson
Mary Wingfield
Alice Witt

Charles Woodroof
Leonard Young
Lillie Young

Industrious eighth graders Jane Overstreet, Diane Hilton, Linda Craig, and Virginia Gilmer decorate for their party.

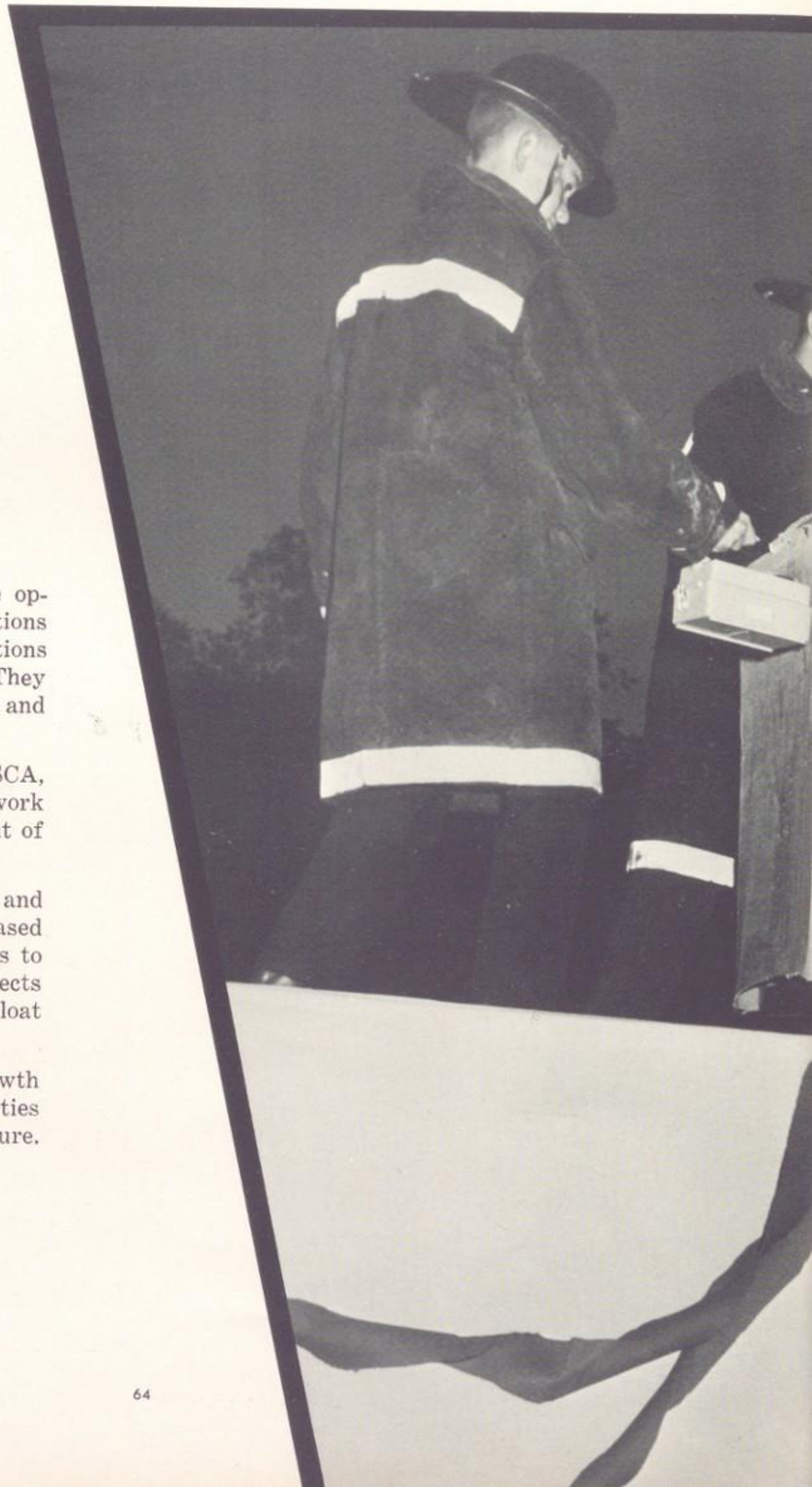
Mrs. McGhee spoke to the Home Ec. I classes on personal grooming. Kathy Webber, Jane Dudek, Carolyn Creasy, Linda Martin, Bonnie Brewbaker, and Gail Rider seem very interested.

Each student of Bedford High has the opportunity to take part in the organizations of our school. The clubs and organizations vary with the interests of the students. They range from service clubs to athletic clubs and literary publications.

Our student government body, the SCA, strives to improve and coordinate the work of our organizations for the improvement of our school.

BHS organizations have grown in size and number as our student body has increased to produce better clubs. Each one strives to improve the caliber of his club in its projects and programs, whether it be a parade float or a convention or conference.

This step of contribution leads to growth in leadership and the democratic qualities necessary for a successful life in the future.



Step of Contribution

The S.C.A. officers for 1963 are Mike Parker, treasurer; Gail Fellers, reporter; Mrs. Thaxton, sponsor; Virginia Watson and Aubrey Strode, co-secretaries; Jennie Teass, vice-president; and Tina Wright, president.

As president of the S.C.A., Tina Wright presides at school assemblies.

S. C. A. encourages student participation . . .

The Student Cooperative Association, the voice of the student body, completed another successful year. The S.C.A. is concerned with the student-faculty relationship and its primary aim involves good citizenship. Its officers are elected on a school wide basis which includes several days of active campaigning. The Council is composed of the S.C.A. officers, club and class presidents, homeroom representatives, and the editors of school publications.

The S.C.A. has been very active this year. It sponsored the United Fund Drive and was in charge of assembly programs. The S.C.A. was responsible for the salute given B.H.S. on the local television show, "Saturday Session."

The Council—**Standing:** Virginia Pierce, Rodney Goggin, Barbara Dove, Judy Turner, Johnny Overstreet, Gerald Wood, Laura Ann Parker, Bert Nance, Johnny Nance, Jackie Harris, Sydney Troutman. **Seated:** Judy McGehee, Cecelia Goode, Beech Watson, Gene Cocke, Roy Vaughn, Virginia Nance, Sylvia Kendall, Jane Overstreet, Alice Coleman, Liza Rucker, and Mary Teass.

Junior and Senior members are Danny Scott, Patsy Overstreet, Donna Harmon, Sue Woodworth, Jean Scott, Cindy Saunders, Huck Berry, George Cooper, Loretta Lynch, Pam Coffey, Nancy Meadow, Carolyn Foutz, Jackie Faribault, Jean Johnson, Sydney Troutman, Suzanne Jones, Cecelia Goode, Alice Coleman, Linda Albert, Tina Wright, Ginger Reynolds, Mickey Lazenby, Virginia Watson, Marcia Ramsey, Terry Thompson, Sue Nance, Emily Jones, Bert Nance, Wayne Chandler, Billy Duis, Gerald Wood, Jerry Cunningham, Philip Sloss, Tommy Bradley, Ben Brown, and Henry Fizer. Absent from the picture are Judy Turner and Donna Wooldridge.

Mrs. Vest, sponsor; Danny Scott, president; Patsy Overstreet, secretary; Roy Vaughn, vice-president; and Cynthia Twark, treasurer; pause a few moments before going to the State Convention.

Beta Club leads by serving others . . .

The Beta Club is a member of a national honor society. Its purpose is to promote honesty, service, and leadership. Members are selected from the tenth through twelfth grades in the second semester each year. Each member must maintain an average of ninety and be approved by the faculty. The club edited the handbook for the S.C.A., presented awards to fourth year Latin students for maintaining a high scholastic average, and held money-making projects. One of the big events of the year was attendance at the State Convention by forty-one Betas. Mickey Lazenby won first place in the spot portion of the talent show with a vocal solo.

New Beta Club members are Mary Coleman, Carol Skelley, Charlotte Padgett, Kay Musgrove, Liza Rucker, Martie Walker, Dick Thomas, Rodney Moses, Mike Parker, Tom English, Freddie Duis, Danny Dowdy, Larry Pettry, and Johnny Overstreet.

Sophomore members are Becky Eubank, Carolee Dudley, Carol Woodroof, Gail Fellers, Carolyn St. Clair, Pat May, Patsy Little, Billy Toms, Peyton Brown, Terry Lee, Aubrey Strode, Jim Cravens, Jack Toms, Warren Childress, and James Carter.

Danny Scott, business manager; Mrs. Turner, sponsor; Cecelia Goode, editor; and Terry Thompson, assistant editor discuss added features of this year's annual.

Our ad committee prepares to leave. They are Jennie Teass, Donna Wooldridge, Emily Jones, Linnette Hicks, Cindy Saunders, Mary Frances Thaxton, and Pam Scott.

"The Peaks" recaptures fond memories . . .

"The Peaks" staff, under the direction of Mrs. Turner, has worked hard to present an annual which is both appealing and informative. The ad committee began early to solicit the necessary funds. The photographers were kept busy taking pictures everywhere. The editors drew layouts, planned pictures, and wrote copy. All have worked together with patience and hard work to produce an annual which we hope you will enjoy. The staff, with great pleasure, presents the 1962-1963 annual to you.

Photographers Charles Wood, Jill Bowyer, and Walter Johnson work with one of the annual staff's cameras.

Sports editors, Peggy Stevens and Philip Sloss, and Sue Nance, club editor, help ad editors, Jean Johnson and Walter Hopkins, plan a layout.

Planning the next edition of the "Lookout" are Jean Scott, editorial editor; Henry Fizer, feature editor; Loretta Lynch, news editor; Freddie Duis, photographer; Tom English, sports editor; and Ginger Reynolds, girl's sports editor.

This year's reporters are Terry Thompson, Virginia Watson, Cynthia Twark, Carol Skelley, Maxwell Goode, Judy McGehee, Joyce Lee, Gail Fellers, Linda Albert, Marcia Ramsey, Robert Lambeth, and Curtis Vaughn.

"Otter's Lookout" offers opportunities in journalism . . .

The "Otter's Lookout" is Bedford High's school paper, published by students who are interested in journalism and reporting school events. This year's staff has worked hard to present a paper that is both informative and interesting. Among the various projects undertaken by the staff was the King and Queen Contest at the school carnival.

Typing up articles for the paper are Jill Bowyer, Mary Frances Thaxton, Diane Behrens, club editor; Jean Johnson, exchange editor; Pam Scott, and Carole Overstreet.

Mickey Lazenby, business manager; Roy Vaughn, assistant editor; Mrs. English, sponsor; and Judy Turner, editor meet to discuss a recent issue of the paper.

Here are a few of the slaves initiated on Slave Day.

Third year students—Jean Scott, Coral Lee Hurt, Judy McGehee, Loretta Lynch, Cynthia Twark, Roy Vaughn, and Henry Fizer-report a Roman football game for a skit.

Dianna Coleman, Linda Aultice, Dee Jones, Kay Lay, Faye Wilkerson, Sylvia Kendall, and Gayle Robertson act as slaves for the Latin banquet.

Fourth year students include consul Huck Berry, Skipper Owen, consul Terry Thompson, Danny Scott, and augur Ben Brown.

Torchbearer's Club . . .

Scientia et Amicitia Crescant

The Latin Club is composed of all students taking Latin. The club promotes interest in this ancient language by sponsoring Slave Day, an initiation for first year students who act as slaves for upperclassmen. A Latin banquet is held in traditional Roman style complete with togas. At the end of the year a Latin play depicting scenes from Roman history is given for the parents.

These toga clad second year students are Freddie Duis, Bobby Brewbaker, Tom English, Mike Parker, Gail Fellers, Peyton Brown, Charlotte Padgett, Billy Wilkes, Johnny Overstreet, Pasty Little, Sara Camden, Barbara Nichols, and Mary Teass.

Other second year students are Hal Jarvis, Terry Lee, Ronnie Henderson, Randi Lechner, Dick Thomas, Cynthia Powers, Aubrey Strode, Mary Coleman, Kay Musgrove, Carolee Dudley, Pat May, and Liza Rucker.

Members of the club are Carolyn St. Clair, Carol Woodroof, Maxwell Goode, Norma Bowling, Edie Rae Kyle, Priscilla Biggs, Skip Tharp, Linda Croft, Lynne Roberts, Glenn Wood, Dianne Hughes, Gene Parker, Ann Perrow, Linda Albert, Nancy Hanks, Jack Toms, Bruce Skelley, Nicky Parker, and Sonny Bowyer.

These happy students are Donna Arthur, Cecelia Goode, Cindy Saunders, Diane Behrens, Sue Nance, Patsy Abbott, Jewel Lee Martin, Mabel Adams, Pam Coffey, Sue Woodworth, Peggy Stevens, Jackie Faribault, Dana Hogan, Jean Johnson, Gene Cocke, Wayland Denton, and Philip Sloss.

Other French Club members are Ginger Reynolds, Lynda Marshall, Claudia Twark, Shirley Bumgarner, Barbara Toms, Dianne Upton, Marjorie Smith, Pat Bowyer, Warren Childress, Don Arrington, Freddie Fellers, and Ronnie Powell.

Le Cercle Français

Any student taking French is eligible for membership in the French Club. The club's purpose is to stimulate interest in French culture. An enjoyable event for the members was a banquet which emphasized Paris and its people. Several students enjoyed corresponding with pen pals in France. A "French Day" was held for the first time at school with initiation for the first year students.

Second and third year students are Mickey Lazenby, Joanne Scott, Pam Scott, Martie Walker, Madie Goode, Sydney Troutman, Patsy Overstreet, Tina Wright, Judy Turner, Mary Frances Thaxton, Janet Lindsay, Paul Coleman, Bert Nance, Tommy Bradley, Wayne Chandler, Nicky Markham, George Cooper, David Goode, and James Gregg.

Billy Hubbard, Carol Skelley, Bobby Scott, Marcia Ramsey, Judy McGhee, Brenda Arthur, Donna Pugh, Liza Rucker, Gail Fellers, Kandi Lechner, Laura Ann Parker, Jean Scott, Mary Stump, Ronnie Saunders, Loretta Lynch, Billy Toms, Ruth Owens, Rodney Moses, Deland Martin, Rawley Milstead, and Alex Elliott.

Helping president Huck Berry organize plans for their next meeting are Mr. Coleman, sponsor; Philip Sloss, secretary; and Skipper Owen, vice president. These plans include formulating objectives for the new year and planning programs for future meetings.

Hi-Y

The Hi-Y, sponsored by Mr. Coleman, is affiliated with the Young Men's Christian Association. The boys of the Junior and Senior classes undertook projects of worthwhile interest. They sent delegates to Model General Assembly and gave trophies to the boys who maintained the highest scholastic average in sports.

Ronnie Saunders, Andy Yowell, John Leftwich, and Hal Jarvis talk about last month's meeting.

Hi-Y and Tri-Hi-Y Clubs promote

Jerry Chesson, Charles Reynolds, and James Owens locate places aided by World Service.

Cecelia Goode, Betty Chafin, Shirley Bumgarner, Patsy Abbot, Edith Overstreet, Sydney Troutman, and Janet Lindsay discuss plans for future meetings.

The Tri-Hi-Y officers for 1963 are Ginger Reynolds, vice president; Sue Walker, secretary; Sydney Troutman, president; Loretta Lynch, treasurer; Miss Ruff, sponsor; and Maxwell Goode, chaplain.

Tri-Hi-Y

The Tri-Hi-Y stepped forward in service this year. The Junior and Senior girls who joined this club helped with the annual T.B. Bangle Sale and supported a Christmas project to help the needy. The money received from various sales was sent to World Service. The girls have striven to reach their goal "to create, maintain, and extend throughout the home, school, and community high standards of Christian character."

These members served on various committees this year. They are Sue Nance, Peggy Stevens, Pam Scott, Mickey Lazenby, Nancy Meador, Judy McGehee, Jean Scott, and Madie Goode.

high standards of Christian character.

Jennie Teass, Terry Thompson, Donna Arthur, Jackie Faribault, Tina Wright, and Carolyn Wheeler put the finishing touches on the Tri-Hi-Y bulletin board.

Pat Bowyer, Dita Montanes, Sharon Gray, Kay Musgrove, Janet Walker, Carol Woodroof, Corinne DeSimone talk about a future club meeting.

These members gather to discuss a club project. They are Linda Donald, Penny Turpin, Carolee Dudley, Betty Brown, Donna Pugh, Wanda Martin, Faye Wilkerson, Teresa McKinney, Saundra Krantz, Virginia Pierce, Delores Reynolds, and Barbara Boone.

Margaret Stephenson, Susie Stephens, Karen Coleman, Randa Goode, Billie Sue Morgan, and Barbara Rucker discuss a layout for the bulletin board.

Kappa Chi . . . Zeta Phi . . . Alpha Psi

Alpha Psi officers are Karen Coleman, treasurer; Judy Ryder, parliamentarian; Jane Overstreet, reporter; Pat Wilson, chaplain; Penny Turpin, vice president; Laura Ann Parker, president; and Carol Woodroof, secretary.

Other members are Barbara Nichols, Ann McFall, Linda McKinney, Lillie Young, Sylvia Crouch, Shirley Twark, Joyce Lee, and Betty Toms.

Sylvia Kendall, Mary Coleman, Jennie Nance, Mary Teass, Charlotte Padgett, and Gayle Robertson help collect for various drives in town.

Elizabeth Berry, Bonnie Brewbaker, Lynn Scott, Nancy Lindsay, Gail Rider, Jane Dudek, Carol Bolling, Gail Hardy, and Kathy Webber rush to the club meeting.

Serving on various committees this year are Jane Fergurson, Wanda Phillips, Pat Wilson, Jane Overstreet, Kay Lay, Shireen Tolley, Libby Sowers, Marilyn Coffey, Donna Hilton, Judy Ryder, Bonnie Meadow, and Pat Callahan.

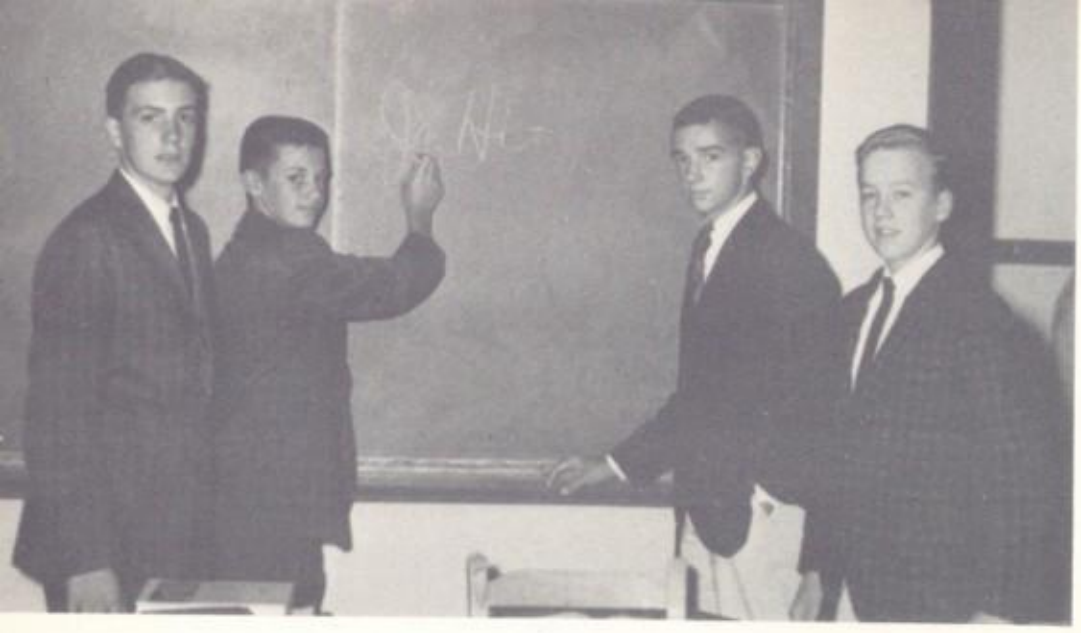
Torch Y's

The Torch Y's of B.H.S. are three individual clubs each working toward the same goal. The Kappa Chi, sponsored by Mrs. English, the Zeta Phi sponsored by Mrs. Falls, and our newest club the Alpha Psi sponsored by Mrs. Withey are composed of Eighth Grade, Freshman, and Sophomore girls. They undertook many projects which aided our school and community. They fixed a Christmas basket for a needy family and planned a bulletin board for the school.

Pausing a moment are Patricia May, Ina Wray Cassidy, Mary Keith Harvey, Carolyn Creasey, Jo Anne Leach, Linda Croft, Dianne Hughes, Shelby Overstreet, and Linda Spradlin.

Officers of the Zeta Phi are Linda Aultice, vice president; Mrs. Falls, sponsor; Mary Stump, secretary; Liza Rucker, treasurer; Claudia Twark, chaplain; Barbara Dove, president; and Carol Skelley, reporter.

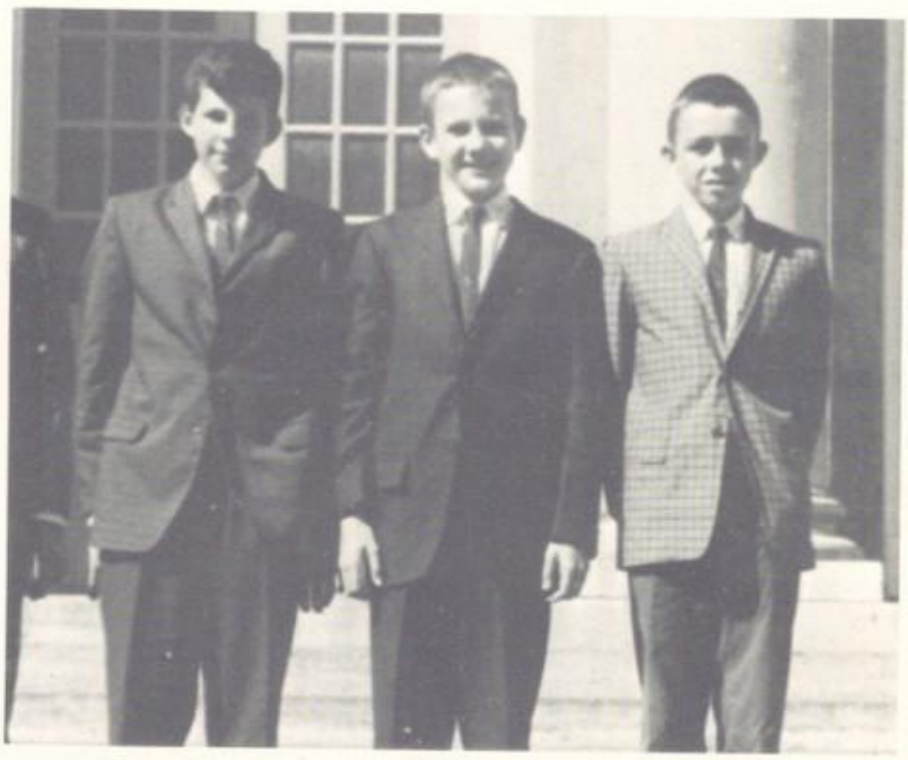
Other members are Edie Rae Kyle, Lynn Roberts, Cynthia Powers, Brenda Arthur, Priscilla Biggs, Sara Camden, Gail Fellers, and Laura Ann Parker.



Officers for the Jr. Hi-Y are Billy Toms, secretary; Johnny Overstreet, president; Billy Wilkes, vice president; and Ronnie Henderson, treasurer.

Jr. Hi-Y strives to maintain goals . . .

Under the guidance of Mr. Cutler the Jr. Hi-Y completed another successful year of service. Learning early in high school to help others, the boys of the Eighth Grade, Freshman, and Sophomore classes helped in the annual Heart Fund Drive. During their monthly meetings, they had various programs including movies and guest speakers.



George Strode, Ken Childress, and Deland Martin gather to discuss a future meeting.

These members arrive early for their club meeting. They are Mr. Cutler, sponsor; Donnie Arrington, Alex Elliott, Campbell Johnson, Rob Jarvis, and Jackie Harris.

Earl Franklin, Larry Pettry, Johnny Phelps, Terry Lee, and Johnny Nichols pause to read a school plaque.

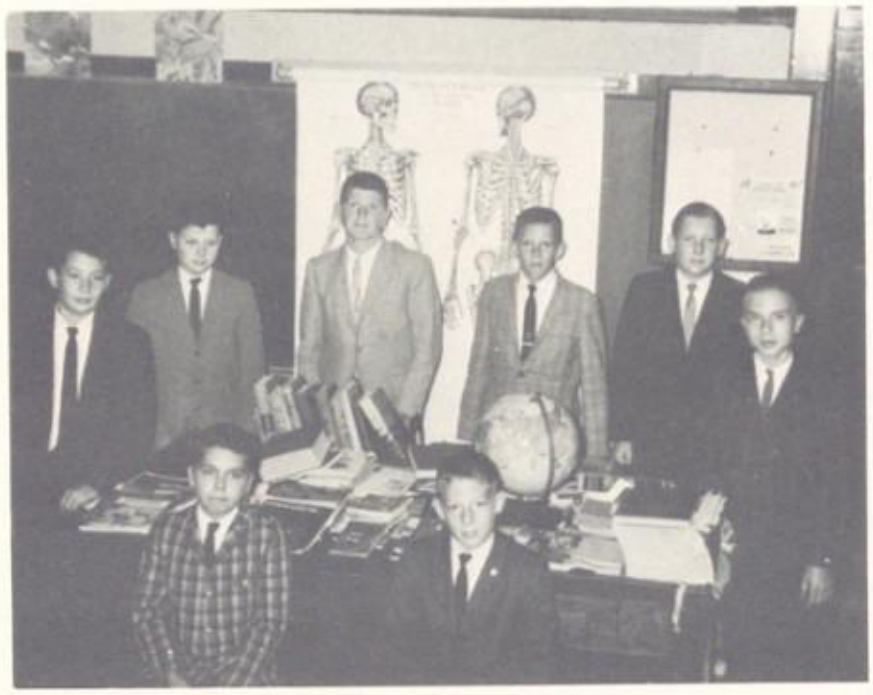
These club members gather for a picture. They are Wayland Denton, David Leach, Rodney Goggin, Billy Duis, John Dudek, Ashby Whorley, Mike Adams, Tommy Bradley, Walter Hopkins, Nicky Markham, Danny Scott, Johnny Fizer, Mary Frances Thaxton, and Carol Stephens.

Looking over the books and pamphlets are Sam Gill, Gary Lewis, Sandra Troutman, Dick Thomas, Mike Parker, Granville Nance, Randi Lechner, Jimmy Whorley, Jimmy McDaniel, Lawton Saunders, Marjorie Scott, and Kandi Lechner.

S.O.S. Science Club promotes Science Fair . . .

The S.O.S. Science Club is one of the larger clubs at B.H.S. The main goal of the club is to increase knowledge in science. Some of the projects that the club undertook this year were sponsoring the Conservation Essay Contest, preparing for the Science Fair, making a float for the homecoming parade, and supporting the program of the Junior Academy of Science.

Eighth grade members are Wayne Melton, Curtis Vaughn, Ronald Craig, Billy Grey, Charles Woodroof, Bruce Mitchell, Joey Laughon, and Terry Phillips.



This year's officers are Rodney Coggin, secretary; Wayland Denton, chaplain; David each, vice president; Mike Adams, president; dent; Ben Brown, reporter; and Nicky Markham, treasurer.

A large group of students gather to discuss a recent meeting. They are Jewell Lee Martin, Nancy Hanks, Chuck Reynolds, Roy Vaughn, Marjorie Smith, Gene Cocke, Joanne Scott, Ricky Lalonde, Martie Walker, Paul Coleman, Henry Fizer, and kneeling are Bruce Skelley and Sonny Bowyer.

George Cooper, Priscilla Mitchell, Henry Fizer, Ward Dean, Ricky Johnson, Donnie Zimmerman, Morris Hickson, Dana Hogan, Patsy Overstreet, Judy Turner, and J. W. Smith are other club members.

Norma Bowling, Frances Bowling, Orphan Lee Bowden, Dale Bowles, Maria Craghead, and Linda Albert assisted by Mike Parker, Tommy Bradley, Ashby Whorley, and Roy Vaughn prepare to eat a delicious meal cooked by club members.

These girls are ready to go to a federation meeting. They are Lois Spradlin, Donna Wooldridge, Marion Toms, Barbara Woodford, Rachel Heck, Carolyn Newman, and Sandra Reid.

Mrs. Torrence explains to Cheryl Stanley, Donna Rutoskey, Carole Overstreet, Jill Bowyer, and Dorothy Moseley a protein and vitamin chart.

F.H.A. spotlights the individual . . .

The Bedford Chapter of Future Homemakers of America belongs to a national organization whose purpose is to further interest in home economics. The club had as its theme this year "You and Your Values" which centers on family friendships, youth marriages, and good citizenship through homemaking. The theme was carried out in the programs through panels, guest speakers, and member participation.

Opening an F. H. A. meeting are Mrs. Whorley, sponsor; Hilda Kendrick, historian; Cindy Saunders, reporter; Brenda Arrington, vice president; Alice Coleman, president; Doris Jenkins, parliamentarian; Dorinda Mitchell, federation president; and Donna Harmon, secretary.

Putting the finishing touches on a meal are Molly Jenkins, Pamela Harrison, Elizabeth Holdren, Karen Massie, Lynda Marshall, Judy Campbell, and Suzanne Jones.

Peggy Gibbs, Betty Lou Creasy, Carolyn Eubank, Becky Eubank, Scarlett Edwards, and Betty Fizgerald pin up the club's banner.

Carolyn City, Mary Linda Ashley, Ann Perrow, Barbara Little, Carolyn St. Clair, Cynthia Twark, Barbara Toms, and Shirley Blankenship pause for a moment.

Members of G.A.A. are Judy Kirby, Janet Hawkins, Sandra Martin, Elizabeth Shy, Faye Pugh, Bonnie Clay, Vickie Witt, Shirley Haynes, Mary Becky Wingfield, Virginia Gilmer, Mary Elizabeth Dewitt, Yvonne Johnson, Betty Cash, Linda Martin, Betty Craig, and Patsy May.

G. A. A. encourages spirit of sportsmanship . . .

The Girls' Athletic Association, sponsored this year by Mrs. McCabe, invited girls interested in sports to join. The club's main purpose is to encourage the girls of our school, in all phases of the physical educational program, to promote good scholarship and school spirit, to establish the ideal of health, and to develop a true spirit of sportsmanship in all of its members. The girls took courses in modern dance and tumbling, sponsored two cars in the homecoming parade, and gave pins for participation in extracurricular sports.

Demonstrating a position in modern dance are Carolyn St. Clair, Sandra Martin, Judy Kirby, Shirley Haynes, and Vickie Witt.

This year's officers are Ellen Heller, reporter; Pam Coffey, vice-president; Linnette Hicks, president; Patsy Little, chaplain; Carolyn Foutz, Photographer; Mabel Adams, treasurer; Mrs. McCabe, sponsor; and Janice Waldron, recorder of points.

Going to a club meeting are Skip Tharp, Richard Chaffin, Rawley Milstead, Steve St. Clair, Danny Dowdy, Johnny Bryant, Mark Craig, Bucky Key, Donnie Brookshire, Rodney Moses, Donald Musgrove, Gene Parker, and Jimmy Thompson.

Officers of the club are Donnie Scott, president; Mr. Sherman, sponsor; Jimmy Cundiff, vice-president; Roger Layne, sergeant-at-arms; Gary Wood, sergeant-at-arms; and Danny Pentecost, secretary-treasurer.

Junior Sportsman Club

Other club members are Ronnie Powell, Wesley Saferight, Jimmy Jones, James Gregg, James Ferguson, Ronnie Stanley, Mike Overstreet, Jimmy Franklin, Lynwood Epperly, Wayne Dooley, Billy Hubbard, Pat Cassidy, and Frank Allen Smith.

This year the Sportsman Club was divided into two groups because of the many boys who joined. The Senior Sportsman Club, sponsored by Mr. Sherman, is interested in skill and safety in sports. During the regular meetings, programs with guest speakers and movies were presented.

Posing at the door are Ronnie Robertson, Van Johnson, Peyton Brown, Ray Trail, Freddie Duis, Tom English, Bobby Johnson, Billy Dill, Jimmy Foster, Nicky Parker, Jimmy Carter, Gary Phillips.

These members pose for our photographer. They are—**First row**: Earl Sutherland, Pate Torrence, Gary Dove, Dick Skelley, Francis Nance, Watts Key, Bob Graves, **Second row**: Alex Carter, Donnie Wilkerson, Freddie Bush, Johnny Nance, David Eubank, Allen Thomas, Harold Smith, **Third row**: Junior Carter, Andy Lee, Ronnie Robinson, Kent Montgomery, Oscar Padgett, Gene Ward.

Senior Sportsman Club

The Junior Sportsman Club is a division of the Sportsman Club. Its main purpose is to promote interest is sports and other activities. The club, sponsored by Mr. Slone, made many plans and had interesting programs with guest speakers.

Officers of the club are Beech Watson, secretary; Bobby Booth, president; Lloyd Goode, treasurer; Richard Coleman, vice-president; Glenn Coleman, reporter; and Mr. Slone, sponsor.

Other members are—**First row**: Wayne Stanley, Pat Pollard, Wayne Overstreet, Mac Harvey, Tommy Henderson, Bobby Hurt, Morris Hall, Richard Spradlin, Glenn Smith, Randy Pettry: **Second row**: Jimmy Toms, Clifton Krantz, Jerry McDowell, Roland Dooley, Tim Whorly, Allen Wills, David Johnson, Joe Heller, J. C. Couzart, and David Bradley.

Mike Adams, Rodney Goggin, Billy Duis, Bert Nance, Ben Brown, Darrol Davis, Jimmy Thompson, David Leach, and Ronnie Powell hold letters for various sports.

Varsity Club emphasizes participation in sports . . .

This year's Varsity Club officers are Wayne Chandler, treasurer; Andy Yowell, vice-president; Walter Hopkins, secretary; Nicky Markham, president; and Mr. Slone, sponsor.

The Varsity Club is composed of boys who have earned varsity letters in football, basketball, baseball, or track. Now in its second year, the club has a growing membership. Its purpose is to encourage participation in and attendance at athletic contests and to promote good sportsmanship. Mr. Slone is the club's sponsor.

Other members are Richard Chaffin, Jerry Chesson, Donald Musgrove, Rodney Moses, Frank Draper, Pat Cassidy, Bruce Skelley, Bobby Scott and Ward Dean.

Hobby Club members include Aubrey Strode, Gary Faribault, Philip Beckman, Robert Lambeth, Gary Raflo, Richard Wilkes, Jim Cravens, Russell Stevens, Chester Roberts, Gerald Wood, Bobby Mitchell, Darroll Davis, Johnny St. Clair, Eddie Reynolds, and Jack Fisher.

Officers of the club are Jim Cravens, secretary and treasurer; Richard Wilkes, vice president; and Gerald Wood, president.

Hobby Club works magic with electricity . . .

The Hobby Club sponsored by Mr. Thaxton is an extension of the Science Club at B.H.S. for students interested in electronics. During the club periods, the boys have learned the basic principles of electronics. Some of them have built multimeters, short wave radios, walkie-talkies, and photo electric relays as projects. The club also helped with the Science Fair and the family night program sponsored by the Science Club.

Inspecting a picket VOMmeter are Gary Raflo, Robert Lambeth, Chester Roberts, Gary Faribault, and Jim Cravens.

Experimenting with a walkie-talkie are Philip Beckman and Aubrey Strode.

THE CHORUS—First Row: Linda Donald, Loretta Heck, Hilda Kendrick, Marilyn Smith, Corinne DeSimone, Brenda Arthur, Mary Thaxton, J. W. Smith, Roy Vaughn, Henry Fizer, Marcia Ramsey, Ginger Reynolds, Judy Campbell, Delores Reynolds, Diana Coleman, Carolyn Duncan; **Second Row:** Brenda Arrington, Sue Webber, Molly Jenkins, Sandra Reid, Dita Montanes, Doris Jenkins, Billisue Morgan, James Owens, Bobby Scott, John Fizer, David Goode, Jewel Lee Martin, Carolyn Wheeler, Jill Bowyer, Ruth Owens, Joyce Duncan; **Third row:** Linda McKinney, Carole Overstreet, Conya Lohmeyer, Randa Goode, Marjorie Smith, Barbara Nichols, Madie Goode, Charles Wood, Nick Markham, Bobby Johnson, Elva Craig, Alice Arrington, Lois Spradlin.

Music Chorus blends young voices . . .

Here's a peek at our hard working chorus.

The Music Chorus at Bedford High was under the direction of Miss Margaret McGavock. Anyone interested in music could join. The chorus met daily to learn new songs and to rehearse. They put the principles of good music into practice both in their daily class meetings and in public performances. These performances included school assemblies, the Music Festival, Baccalaureate and graduation exercises.

Ginger Reynolds helps Mickey Lazenby rehearse songs for the All-State Chorus.

The Pep Club at B.H.S., organized early this winter, works to promote school spirit, sportsmanship, and attendance at our games. Members of the main committee are Earl Sutherland, Aubrey Strode, Maria Craghead, Mrs. Whorley, Lynn Roberts, Cecelia Goode, Gail Fellers, Elizabeth Berry, and Diane Behrens.

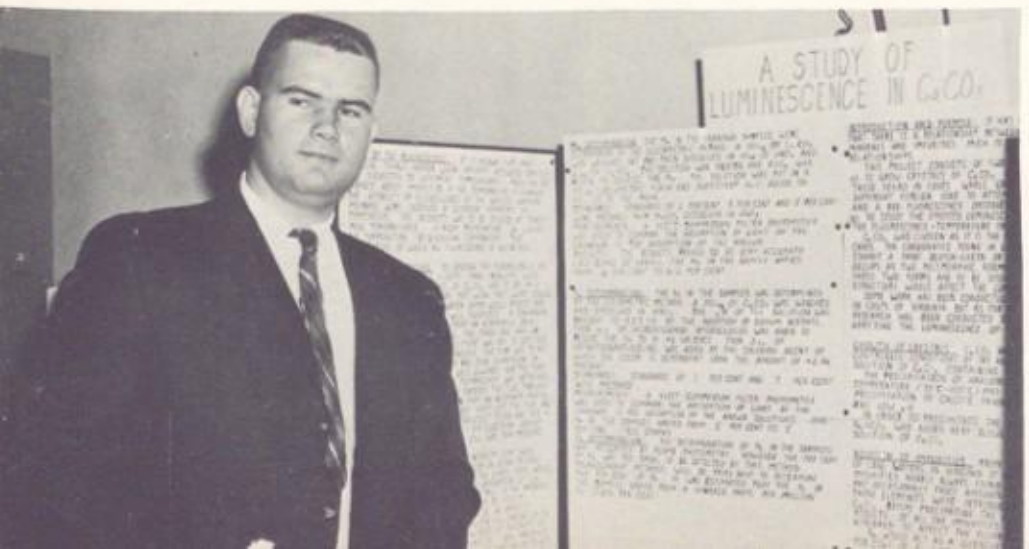
The Student Citizenship Committee, composed of appointed representatives from each class. Members are Cecelia Goode, Jerry Cunningham, Miss Boan, sponsor, Bert Nance, Liza Rucker, and Jean Scott.

Co-curricular activities present varied opportunities . . .

Through hard work and the encouragement of the teachers, students achieved success in many ways. Attendance at SIPA Convention gave enthusiasm and high hopes to Jean Scott, Loretta Lynch, Paul Coleman, Judy Turner, Carol Skelly, and Tommy English for a better yearbook and newspaper. Organization of a pep club created much school spirit. The Junior Academy of Science taught much to its president, David Leach, as well as to other participants in its annual program. MGA delegates realized the intricate workings of the state government. A series of excellent assemblies was presented throughout the year under the sponsorship of the assembly committee. The activity awards, designated by the Student Citizenship Committee, were presented on the last day of school in the final awards assembly.

This year's delegates to Model General Assembly in Richmond are Huck Berry, Billy Wilkes, Jennie Teass, Jean Scott, and Liza Rucker. Their bill, dealing with traffic violations, was passed and signed by the youth governor.

The Assembly Committee consisting of the vice presidents of each class and sponsor, carefully plan our school assemblies. Billy Duis, Jimmy Jones, Miss Boan, Johnny Overstreet, Jimmy Whorley, Francis Nance, Jennie Teass served on this year's committee.



David Leach presided at the Virginia Junior Academy of Science as president.

On the step of competition, school spirit rates high. On the gridiron, the court, the track or the field, the athlete and the spectator work to attain the standards of good sportsmanship.

Girls and boys both have an opportunity to participate in the outstanding athletic program at Bedford High.

Working as a cheerleader on an extra big game, supporting your team at a tournament, enjoying a banquet given by local rooters, or winning an award — these are the special moments of athletic competition.

Either in success or defeat, progress in learning to cooperate and work together is an important lesson needed for progress in the future.

Step of Competition

Front row: D. Davis, D. Leach, F. Draper, M. Adams, Capt. N. Markham, Capt. B. Nance, P. Cassidy, R. Goggin, A. Yowell, C. Daniels. **Second row:** W. Chandler, B. Skelley, W. Denton, J. Gregg, R. Lalonde, J. Jones, R. Vaughn, W. Hopkins, C. Wood. **Third row:** G. Wood, J. Thompson, B. Wilks, R. Coleman, M. Parker, D. Pentecost, B. Scott, S. Owen. **Fourth row;** Manager L. Saunders, Coach Cutler, Coach Sherman, B. Booth, G. Coleman, L. Goode, B. Watson, Coach S. Coleman.

The Bedford High Otters

The Bedford High Otters' football team began practice in August with a large turnout of potential material. This was the beginning of three months of continual hard work in developing a well balanced team to compete in the strong Blue Ridge Group 1B district.

Although the potential Otters worked hard on the field and in the classroom sessions, they ended the season with a 4-5-1 record. However, the players gained valuable experience in sportsmanship, leadership, and personal responsibility.

In the first three games, the Otters started off slowly with three defeats from Bassett, Clifton Forge, and Cave Spring. But the Otters bounced back with an exciting 13-12 victory over Altavista in Bedford's homecoming game and handed Drewry-Mason a 13-0 defeat.

The Otters split the next two games by losing to Northside and defeating Amherst 25-7.

After taking a break because of an open date, the Otters traveled to Franklin County to mar the Eagles' homecoming with a 0-0 deadlock.

In the next game, the Otters lost their Shrine game to the Terriers of William Byrd with a 19-7 score. However, the Otters finished their season with a victorious note by blanking Brookville 14-0.

The coaching staff for the Otters are Assistant Coach Paul Sherman, Head Coach Sherrill Coleman, and Assistant Coach Jim Cutler.

Lawton Saunders was the only manager the team had this season.

Charles Wood
End

Clifford Daniels
Halfback

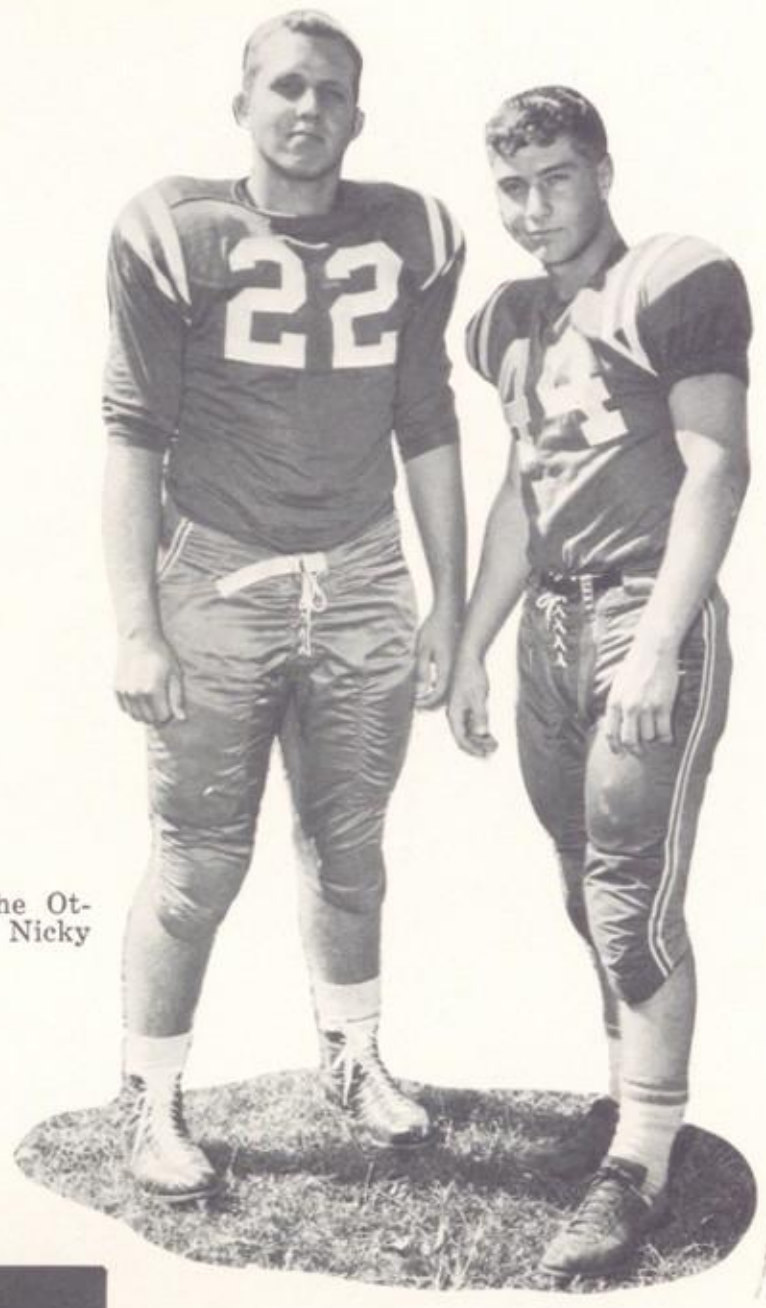
David Leach
Guard

Wayne Chandler
Center

Peyton Brown
Quarterback

SCOREBOARD

Bedford	0	Bassett	7
Bedford	6	Clifton Forge . .	13
Bedford	6	Cave Spring . .	18
Bedford	13	Altavista	12
Bedford	13	Drewry-Mason .	0
Bedford	0	Northside	24
Bedford	25	Amerherst . . .	7
Bedford	0	Franklin County.	0
Bedford	7	William Byrd . .	19
Bedford	14	Brookville . . .	0



The Co-captains who led the Otters to a 4-5-1 season were Nicky Markham and Bert Nance.

Rodney Goggin, Frank Draper, Jimmy Jones, and Roy Vaughn move in to stop an Altavista player in Bedford's homecoming game.

Bobby Booth is caught by a William Byrd player who slipped through Bedford's interference composed of David Leach, Peyton Brown, and Clifford Daniels.

Bobby Booth
Halfback

Rodney Goggin
Tackle

Frank Draper
Quarterback

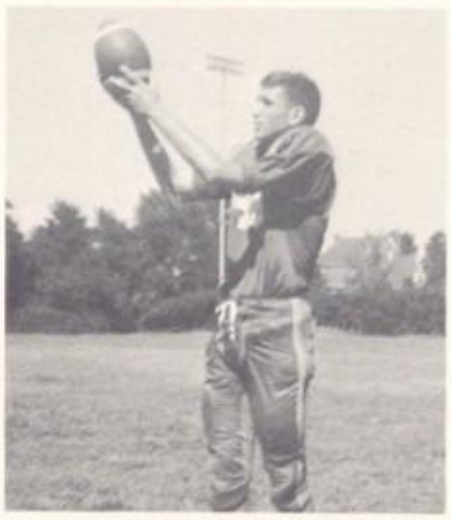
Jimmy Jones
Guard

Darrol Davis
Center

Rodney Goggin gets set to defend Peyton Brown who prepares to throw a touchdown pass in the Cave Spring game.

Charles Wood, Bert Nance, and Mike Parker clear the way for Mike Adams who picks up needed yardage.

Andy Yowell
End



Mike Adams
Halfback

Clifford Daniels breaks into the open behind the blocking of David Leach.

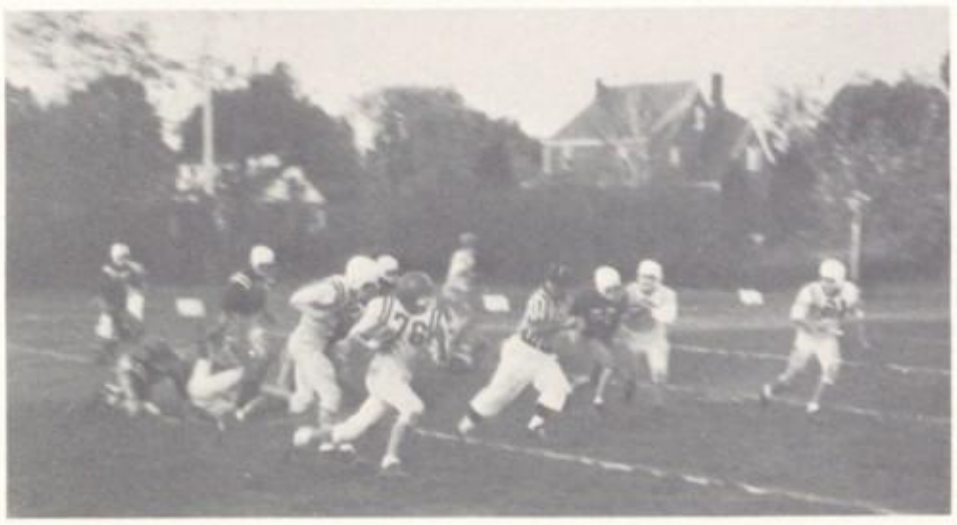
Pat Cassidy
End

Mike Parker
Center

Wayland Denton
Halfback

The Otters on The Move

Assistant Coach Cutler tapes an ankle before practice as Bruce Skelley puzzles over his techniques.



Joe Heller rounds right end on his way for a touchdown as the eighth and ninth graders gain experience for the future years.

Hard work and scrimmages were necessary in developing Bedford's well-rounded team.

Bert Nance gets the extra step on a William Byrd player to pick up more yardage.

An official tries to steal the scene as Co-captain Bert Nance picks up yardage in Bedford's Shrine game.

David Leach and Peyton Brown leads the interference for Clifford Daniels as he returns a kickoff.

The Bedford High J. V.'s

Front row: V. Daniels, G. Wood, B. Wilkes, S. Thorp, D. Bradley, J. Cousart, Coach Cutler, **Second row:** L. Craig, T. Lee, R. Powell, L. Goode, B. Brewbaker, M. Craig, G. Coleman. **Third row:** R. Moses, J. Franklin, J. Wilkes, J. Overstreet, B. Watson, J. Nance.

J. V.'s — **EIGHTH AND NINTH GRADE**

Bedford.....19	Franklin County ... 7	Bedford..... 0	Brookville 38
Bedford..... 6	Northside 14	Bedford.....25	Amherst 12
Bedford..... 7	William Byrd 7	Bedford.....35	Amherst 13
Bedford..... 7	James River 14	Bedford.....13	Franklin County ... 7
Bedford..... 0	V. E. S 28	Bedford..... 7	V. E. S. 13
Bedford.....27	Lord Botetourt 6		

Eighth and Ninth Grade Team

The eighth and ninth graders preparing for a trip are: **Kneeling;** M. DeWitt, F. Bush, F. Owens, J. Krantz, M. Tompson, W. Key, W. Watson, W. Overstreet, G. Dove, **Standing:** J. McGhee, E. Stanley, E. Sutherland, G. Hardy, R. Craig, D. Wilkerson, A. Wills, D. Johnson, J. Toms, Coach Slone, A. Lee, J. Whorley, E. Carter.

Patsy Overstreet, Virginia Watson, Terry Thompson, Carolyn Wheeler, Carol Skelly, Cecelia Goode, Gail Fellers, Marcia Ramsey, Janet Walker, and Jean Johnson, Head Cheerleader.

Football Cheerleaders—Spirit of the Otters

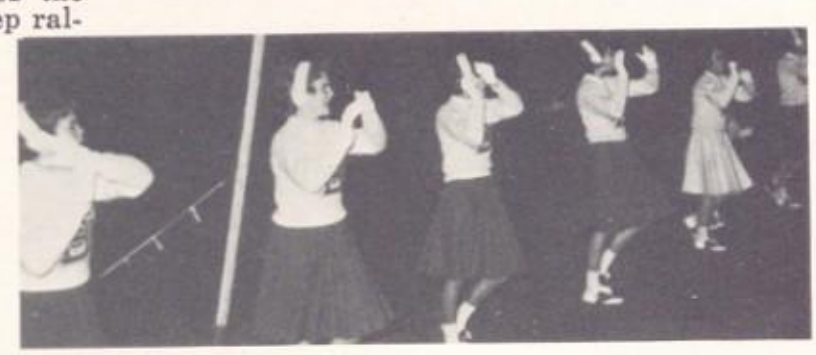
In defeat, the cheerleaders give encouragement to the Otters: and in victory, they raise spirits even higher.

Mrs. Whorley, the cheerleader's sponsor, starts the girls practicing late in the summer and by football season, they are ready to cheer the Otters to victory. This year, thanks to Mrs. Whorley and Head Cheerleader, Jean Johnson, the girls were able to create much enthusiasm for football.

The cheerleaders board a bus to attend the Drewry-Mason game.

Jean Johnson and Mrs. Whorley acquaint mascot, Phyllis Franklin, with the plans for the year.

The girls lead a cheer at one of the year's many pep rallies.

Jean encourages the student body to attend the games.

The cheerleaders yell for the Otters!

Kneeling: Co-captain Ben Brown and Co-captain Phil Sloss.
Standing: Coach Sherman, Roy Vaughn, Fred Duis, Mike Parker, Andy Yowell, Tommy English, Rodney Goggin, Bobby Brewbaker, Peyton Brown, Nicky Parker.

Otters' Basketball

A young, inexperienced basketball team at Bedford met the challenge of the large Blue Ridge district for the first time this season under the able leadership of Mr. Paul Sherman. The games were very competitive and the student body led by the cheerleaders gave good support and never lost spirit to the final whistle.

Despite many depressing moments, the few bright spots will be the games well remembered. When Covington journeyed to the Bedford Armory, where all our home games were played, the spirit of the team and the spectators, along with the well balanced playing of our team set them back with the score 54-45. The sound effects from the cheering section added enthusiasm and gave encouragement.

At Cave Spring, the Otter stunned their opponents, in overtime, with a 64-62 victory in a wild game. Ben Brown's long jumper from the right corner wrote an end to the brilliant effort of the team.

Traveling to Fieldale, the Otters gave a good account of themselves with a score of 50-48 in another wild overtime game.

The balanced playing of Rodney Goggin and Peyton Brown was noted throughout the season along with the leadership of co-captains Ben Brown and Phil Sloss.

Scoreboard

Bedford	53	Fieldale	55
Bedford	36	Drewey-Mason	51
Bedford	43	Northside	54
Bedford	46	Martinsville	82
Bedford	37	Franklin County	46
Bedford	54	Covington	45
Bedford	38	Drewey-Mason	49
Bedford	40	Martinsville	67
Bedford	55	Bassett	61
Bedford	64	Cave Spring	62
Bedford	48	Northside	55
Bedford	52	Covington	58
Bedford	47	William Byrd	54
Bedford	50	Fieldale	48
Bedford	46	Bassett	84
Bedford	35	Franklin County	49

Aubrey Strode and Lawton Saunders, managers.

Bobby Brewbaker and Tommy English go up for a rebound as Rodney Goggin looks on in the William Byrd game.

Co-Captain Phil Sloss fights a William Byrd player for a rebound as Tommy English blocks out his man.

The Otters fought valiantly . . .

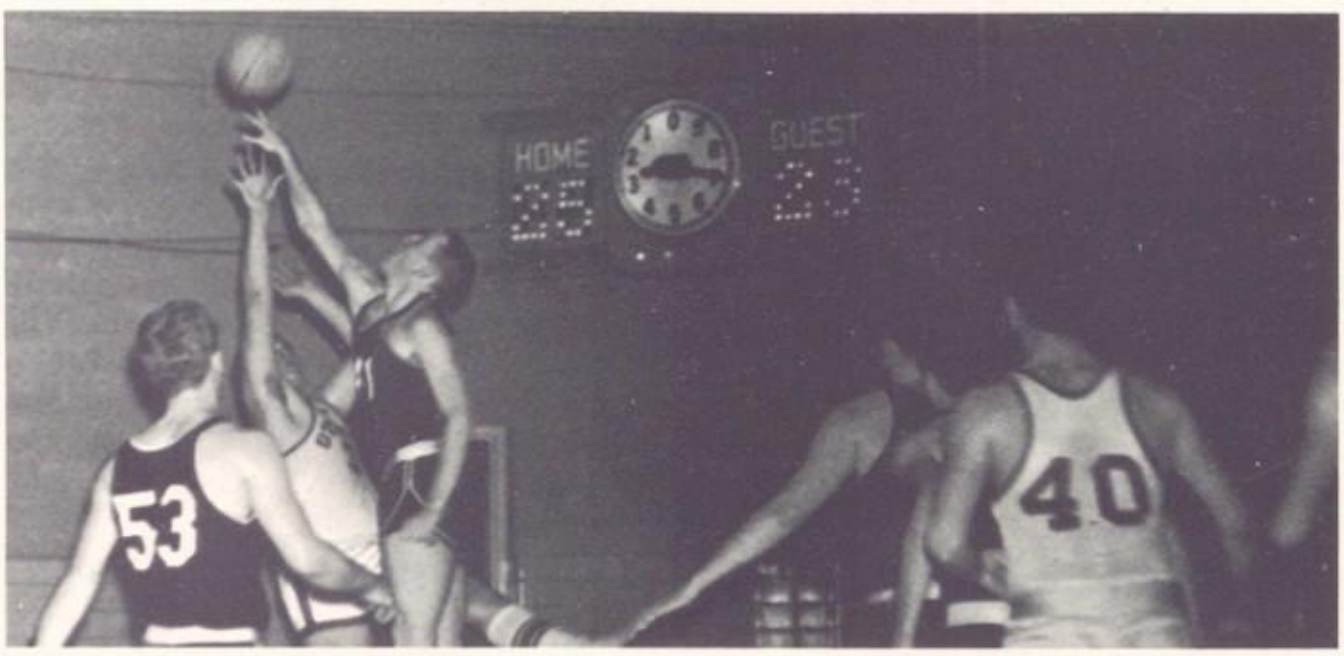
Co-Captain Ben Brown takes a shot in the Franklin County game as Peyton Brown looks on and Bobby Brewbaker moves in for position.

Sophomore Peyton Brown out jumps a Franklin County player to get off another shot.

Mike Parker jumps high in an attempt to block a shot as Rodney Goggin prepares for a possible rebound.

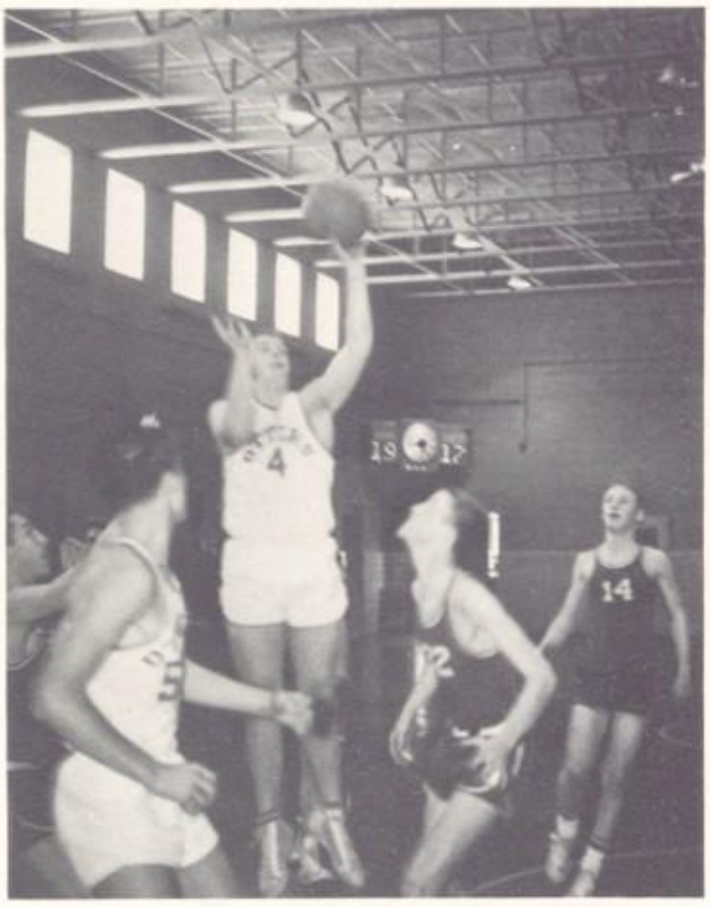
Bobby Brewbaker drives in for a layup on a fast break against Bassett as Ben Brown follows.

Rodney Goggin barely gets his shot off as Mike Parker goes in for a possible rebound.

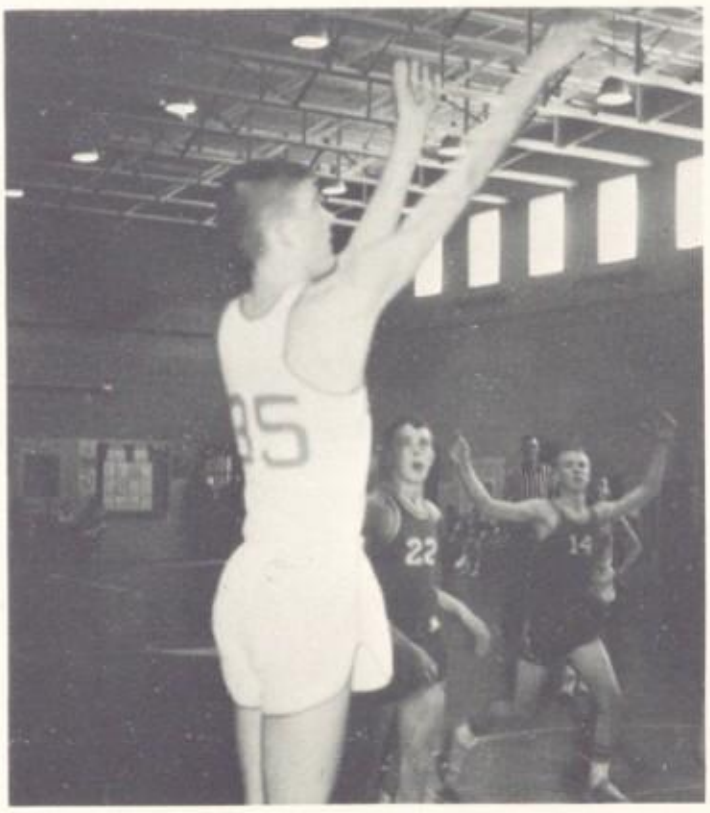


The J. V.'s gain experience

David Bradley shoots from the outside in the Franklin County game which was the only game the J.V.'s won.



Richard Coleman makes it look easy as he shoots again. Jimmy Franklin prepares for a rebound.



Granville Nance takes a shot while the opponents come down court.

Jimmy Franklin gets another rebound as Granville Nance looks on.

Jimmy Franklin goes high and battles a Basset player for the tip.

Otters' J. V.

Kneeling: Richard Coleman, Joe Heller, Jimmy Hogan, Lloyd Goode, Beech Watson. **Standing:** David Bradley, Granville Nance, Glen Coleman, Skip Tharp, Jimmy Thompson, Jimmy Franklin, Coach Cutler.

Otters' Eighth Grade

Kneeling: B. Graves and J. Harris. **First row:** E. Sutherland, P. Torrence, F. Nance, M. Hall, M. Nichols, R. Lambert, M. DeWitt, B. Mitchell. **Second row:** R. Gray, E. Daniels, O. Padgett, J. Burnett, G. Raflo, A. Wills, D. Greasy, B. Barnhill, Coach Coleman.

Tina Wright, one of the Senior girls on this year's squad, leads a cheer at a pep rally.

Carol, Judy, Barbara and Donna lead the student body in the cheer, "Locomotive."

Donna Arthur, Micky Lazenby, Tina Wright, Barbara Dove, Carol Stephens, and Judy Turner.

Basketball cheerleaders promote their team . . .

This year the basketball cheerleaders did much to promote interest in basketball at B. H. S. Their new uniforms and bon bons really caught the attention of everyone. They departed from many of the old cheers and set about creating new and exciting ones. Their use of acrobatics really added zeal to the squad.

This year the girls did not have a head cheerleader but alternated for the position. With practice, cooperation, and the help of Mrs. Whorley the girls were able to have a very active and successful season.

Donna Arthur, acting as head cheerleader at this game, tells the girls about the next cheer.

The cheerleaders really back their team!

Ann Perrow, Majorie Smith, Liza Rucker, Linnette Hicks, Penny Turpin, Delores Reynolds, Mrs. McCabe, coach; Lynn Scott, manager; Judy McGehee, Charlotte Padgett, Margaret Stephenson, Linda Aultice, Virginia Watson, Barbara Rucker, Elizabeth Berry, manager; and Mary Frances Thaxton. Patsy Overstreet was absent when the picture was taken.

The Otterettes

Our girls basketball team, coached by Mrs. James McCabe, completed its season with a 3-4 record. Although many of the girls were inexperienced, tremendous effort and practice allowed the team to win their last three games. Co-captains, Patsy Overstreet and Linnette Hicks, did much to spur the team on with their height and experience.

Linda Aultice, our roving forward, takes an outside shot. Another two points against Northside!

Barbara Rucker goes in for a lay-up.

Linda Aultice receives a pass from Judy McGhee during a tough game with Roanoke Catholic.

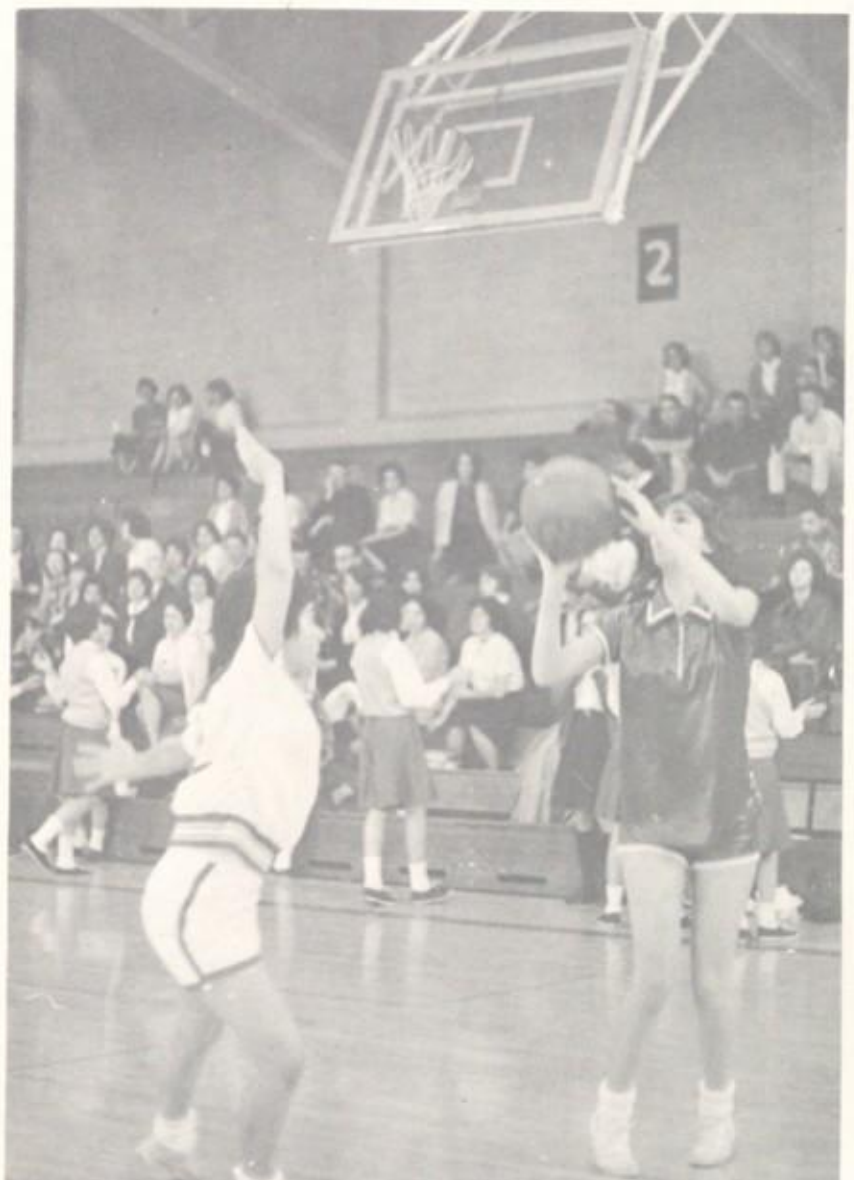
The Scores

Bedford ..	34	Clifton Forge ..	73
Bedford ..	19	Stewartsville ..	33
Bedford ..	17	Roanoke Catholic	33
Bedford ..	28	Roanoke Catholic	57
Bedford ..	27	Andrew Lewis .	16
Bedford ..	39	Andrew Lewis .	36
Bedford ..	35	Northside	19

Charlotte Padgett tangles with Northside guard while co-captain Patsy Overstreet, Linda Aultice, and Margaret Stephenson look on.

Judy McGhee and Charlotte Padgett double team Roanoke Catholic's star forward while Ann Perrow guards her girl.

The Otterettes Perform



Charlotte scores two points for the win over Andrew Lewis. That's the way to play, girls.

The Otterettes control the ball during one of their fast fast moving games.

Linda gets a tip-off as Margaret, Charlotte, and Virginia wait for the ball.

The J. V. cheerleaders rout for their team!

The cheerleaders plan their cheers for a football game.

The girls relax during half time.

A year of fun and experience for the J. V. cheerleaders . . .

The J. V. Cheerleaders were once again able to assist the Varsity cheerleaders in creating spirit for B. H. S. Under the leadership of Mrs. James McCabe, they cheered at the J. V. football as well as basketball games.

The girls rotated as head cheerleader and worked together in deciding the cheers they would use. By following this practice, they gained experience in cooperation, cheering skill, as well as leadership ability.

Margaret Stephenson, Gayle Robertson, Wanda Martin, Dee Jones, Karen Coleman, Virginia Nance, Susie Stephens, Shirley Twark, Marjorie Scott, and Linda Aultice.

First Row: Andy Yowell, Rodney Goggin, Nicky Markham, Wayne Chandler, Ashby Whorley, Mike Adams, Billy Duis. **Second row:** Manager Billy Gray, David Eubank, John Wilkes, Fred Duis, Walter Hopkins, Bobby Brewbaker, Roy Vaughn. **Third Row:** J. C. Cousart, Jimmy Hogan, Coach Cutler, Harvey Poff, Johnny Nance, Manager Ricky Spradlin. Bert Nance and Ben Brown were absent when this picture was taken.

Otters' Baseball

The 1963 Otter baseball season jumped off to a quick start with three straight wins over Cave Spring, Franklin County and Fieldale due to the hitting of Captains Nicky Markham, and Rodney Goggin as well as the pitching of Captain Mike Adams and Ashby Whorley. However, the Otters went into a slump for the next three games but recovered with a final burst of energy to end the season successfully.

In the opening game against a chief rival Cave Spring, the Otters, showing great offensive and defensive power, out hit the Knights to gain a 9-7 victory. The second victim of the Otters was Franklin County who was handed a 6-3 defeat. Next in line was Fieldale who suffered a 16-5 set back by the powerful Otters with Sophomore Jimmy Hogan showing his skill on the pitching mound.

In the following three games the Otters suffered defeat at the hands of Covington and a double hitter against Martinsville.

Wayne Chandler's home run with two runners on in the bottom of the seventh inning brought Bedford out of its slump and gained a win over Covington. The Otters were victorious over Fieldale with a score of 4-3. Andy Yowell singled in the bottom of the ninth and went to second on an error. Mike Adams pushed him to third with a sacrifice bunt and he come home on a balk by the Fieldale pitcher to give us our fifth victory of the season.

Scores

Bedford	9	Cave Spring	7
Bedford	4	V. E. S.	2
Bedford	6	Franklin Co.	3
Bedford	16	Fieldale	5
Bedford	5	Covington	7
Bedford	5	Martinsville	13
Bedford	4	Martinsville	9
Bedford	9	Covington	7
Bedford	4	Fieldale	3
Bedford	4	Franklin Co.	12
Bedford	9	Bassett	1

Andy Yowell increases his batting average by getting a single in the Fieldale game.

The Bedford bench looks on as the Otters run up another big inning.

Otters finish in Blue Ridge District

Roy Vaughn

Andy Yowell

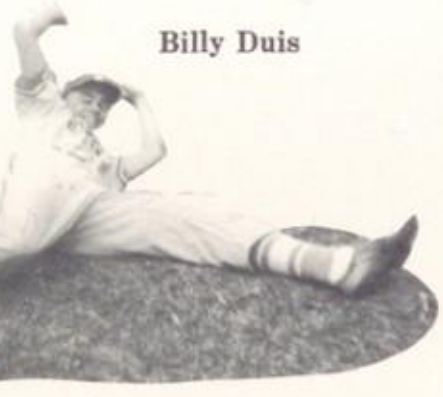
Ben Brown

Nicky Markham

Rodney Goggin

Tournament Scores

Bedford 6	Bassett 1
Bedford 2	Covington .. 3



Billy Duis

Bert Nance

Fred Duis

Ashby Whorley

Mike Adams

Wayne Chandler

Captain Nicky Markham receives a throw to put out a Martinsville player at first.

Sophomore Freddie Duis waits for the next pitch.

Ben Brown comes home safely to rack up another run for Bedford in the Fieldale game.

J. V. Baseball

The 1963 J.V. baseball team started their four game schedule on a victorious note by running over V. E. S., 7-3. In the next game the little Otters were defeated by Moneta, 9-4.

With only two games remaining in their season, Coach Cutler expressed high hopes for one of the best J.V. teams in several years. He also stated that these boys will have great potential in the coming years.

First row: O. Padgett, D. Eubank, J. C. Cousart, J. Nance, D. Thomas, Coach Cutler. **Second row:** H. Poff, J. Nickols, D. Bradley, L. Goode, R. Dooley, B. Toms. **Third row:** M. Parker, J. Whorley, R. Cox, G. Nance, W. Key.

First row: B. Graves, F. Nance, J. Toms, A. Wills, T. Lee, D. Wingfield, G. Faribault, L. Pettry, J. Harris, T. Henderson, J. Laughon. **Second row:** P. Brown, B. Scott, D. Davis, W. Denton, R. Chaffin, R. Moses, J. Thompson, D. Musgrove, R. Powell, J. Dudek, J. Jones. **Third row:** M. Craig, R. Saunders, G. Wood, J. Franklin, R. Coleman, B. Watson, G. Coleman, D. Johnson, G. Cocke. **Fourth row:** J. Toms, W. Watson, D. Martin, T. Bradley, S. Tharp, D. Skelly, H. Fizer, R. Henderson, Coach Coleman. **Fifth row:** E. Sutherland, J. McDaniel, A. Carter, G. Ralfo, P. Pollard.

Otters' Track Squad

Player	V. E. S.	Northside	Lord Botetourt	Franklin County	William Byrd	Cave Spring
P. Brown	Pole Vault-2nd-(tie)	Pole Vault-1st	Pole Vault-1st	Pole Vault-1st	Pole Vault-1st	
D. Davis	Shot-3rd Discus-3rd	Shot-3rd Discus-2nd		Shot-3rd Discus-2nd		
R. Moses	880-2nd Pole Vault-3rd	880-3rd Pole Vault-2nd				
D. Musgrove	100-1st 220-1st	100-1st(tie) 220-1st	100-2nd 220-2nd	100-2nd 220-1st	100-3rd 220-2nd	
J. Thompson	120 HH-2nd 180 LH-2nd	180 LH-3rd	180 LH-1st	180 LH-1st	120 HH-3rd 180 LH-1st	
J. Toms	100-2nd	220-3rd	100-3rd 220-3rd	B. Jump-2nd	B. Jump-3rd	
W. Watson	880-3rd	Shot-2nd	880-3rd Shot-3rd			

Richard Chaffin jumps high and hard in preparation for the coming track season.

Two of our short distance men, John Dudek and Wayland Denton, prepare to start.

Darrol Davis shows his winning form in the shot putt during a practice session.

Each year brings memories of special moments. Your fondest m e m o r y may be of Homecoming or a special project. Or is it a Senior memory—the play, Class Night, or the Variety Show? All of us remember the excitement of preparing for the first Fall Carnival or the thrill of the Junior-Senior Prom.

From our first day of school until graduation, we remember these special moments along with the ordinary happenings that will soon be close to our hearts.

These events give us opportunities to enjoy ourselves and to grow socially on this step.

Step of Participation

Alice smiles as Tina crowns her queen.

An Altavista Colonel is burned in effigy.

Traditionally, Homecoming begins with the bonfire Thursday night, but actually, as ten busy cheerleaders know, Homecoming begins the first weeks of the fall term. During those first weeks, the cheerleaders eagerly plan and anticipate the event. Cards to alumni must be addressed, decorations for the victory dance must be planned, and the parade must be organized. The result of all this work is a memorable Homecoming for BHS students as well as alumni.

The fall means Homecoming once again . . .

THE COURT: Kay Musgrove, sophomore representative; Jean Johnson, senior representative; Ina Wray Cassidy, eighth grade representative; Alice Coleman, queen; Tina Wright, maid of honor; Suzanne Jones, junior representative; and Dee Jones, freshman representative.

Posing with their crowns are Queen Maxwell Goode, King Jimmy Jones, Princess Sherry Lewis, and Prince David Wills.

The tables must have been turned. Walter Hopkins is the jailor, not Charles Bowyer and Wayland Denton!

Johnny Daniels and Arthur St. Clair played rocking music all night.

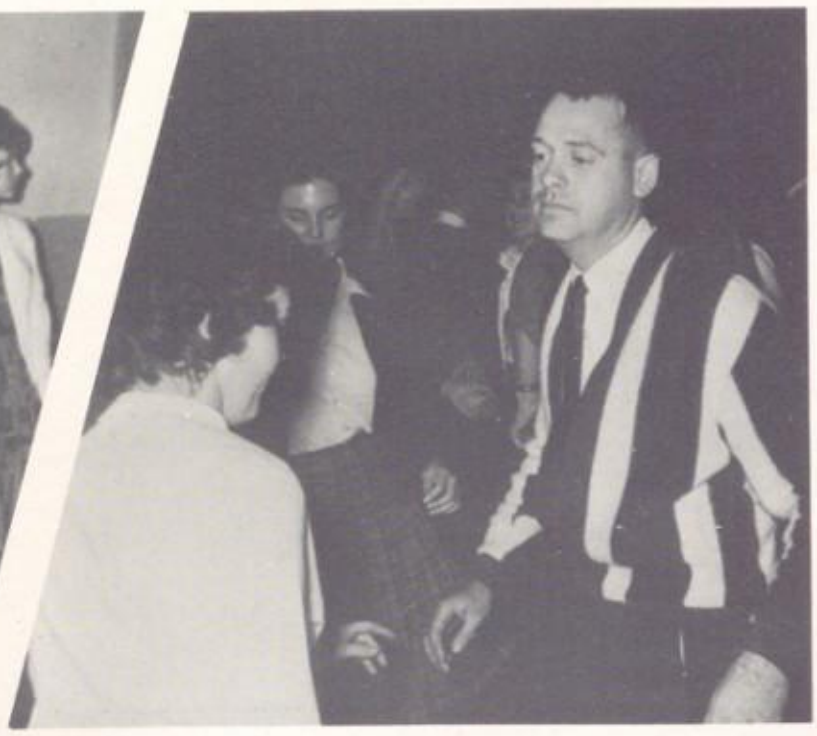
A night of fun at the Fall Carnival . . .

The traditional Senior Carnival underwent a change this year when it became a school carnival, sponsored by all the classes and clubs, with the senior class coordinating all the work. And there really was a lot of work which went into this successful carnival.

Sydney Troutman and Tina Wright, acting as co-chairmen, saw that each club was assigned a booth. The profits from the carnival were divided among the clubs to be used in carrying out their projects. The crowning of the king and queen highlighted a wonderful new carnival.

Johnny Nance tries his skill at minature golf while Priscilla Biggs watches. Diana Coleman doesn't seem very interested.

Could that be Mr. and Mrs. McCabe twisting?



"Silk stockings!"

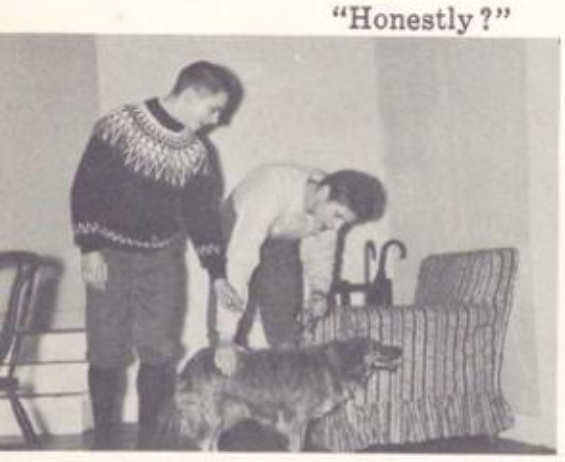
What an energetic Cheerleader!

Dad doesn't seem very pleased at fingernail inspection.

Laughter and tears and a memorable play . . .

Frank and Ern reminisce.

"Honestly?"



Jackie and Fred can't get the dog to cooperate.

A great deal of hard work and much anxiety was amply rewarded when the Seniors heard their play acclaimed "one of the best ever." On December 7, the curtain rose on **Cheaper by the Dozen** with Mike Adams and Terry Thompson playing the lead roles and supported well by the entire cast. The story, which is based on the book by Frank and Ernestine Gilbreth, tells of the Gilbreth family, ruled by a domineering Dad. In the class production, several flashbacks of family life were presented which evoked both laughter and tears. The ever patient directors were Mrs. Justine Cutler and Miss Theresa Stoneman.

Mr. Gilbreth	Mike Adams
Mrs. Gilbreth	Donna Arthur
Anne	Terry Thompson
Ernestine	Cecelia Goode
Martha	Donna Harman
Lillian	Pam Scott
Frank	Rodney Goggin
Bill	James Owens
Dan	Ben Brown
Fred	John Fizer
Jackie	Huck Berry
Mrs. Fitzgerald	Mary Fran Thaxton
Dr. Burton	Danny Scott
Miss Brill	Jennie Teass
Joe Scales	Wayland Denton
Larry	Andy Yowell

The nutty seniors take a bow.

Some of semi-finalists smile as the judges make the hard decision.

B. H. S. talent sparkles at annual Variety Show . .

A flurry of excitement, a moment of suspense, then delirious joy, and perhaps a fallen tear, and then, with the suddenness of a summer storm, all is over. Another Variety Show becomes just a memory.

The night was March 29, 1963. A talented array of students, together with a bevy of pretty girls, and numerous handsome escorts had combined to produce an enjoyable evening for everyone.

George Newton crowns Alice Coleman, Miss B.H.S. of 1963.

Mr. and Miss B.H.S. of 1962, George Newton and Barbara Dove, pose with their successors, Skip Tharp and Alice Coleman.

A group of Freshman girls entertain with "Side by Side."

A highlight of the show: the Senior-Sophomore Chorus!

The finalists: Bert Nance, Dee Jones, Skip Tharp, Alice Coleman, Cecelia Goode, and Bobby Brewbaker.

The scene: on deck for the Junior-Senior Prom.

The V. M. I. Commanders and their vocalist present a special number.

Juniors bid "Bon Voyage" to the Class of '63 . . .

The night of May 4, 1963 was warm and beautiful with a bright moon overhead.

After hours of preparation and work, the juniors transformed the gym into a ship of farewell. The juniors, seniors, their dates and the faculty boarded the ship by going up a small gangplank. The red, white, and blue streamers on the walls and across the ceiling shaped the ship. Red and blue spotlights added to the atmosphere of "Bon Voyage." The setting sun shone across the waters of the sea on the backdrop. The VMI Commanders were on board to complete the ship's festivities.

The mad rush of decorating, buying corsages, trying on dresses and dinner jackets, and completing final arrangements finally gave way to the long anticipated Junior-Senior Prom. Now it is but a memory of a wonderful evening!

Carol Skelley and David Leach enjoy a wonderful prom. But didn't everyone?

Jewel Lee Martin, Virginia Watson, Edith Overstreet, and Betty Chafin are checking favors and decorations for the Prom.

A special moment—Andy Yowell gives Jean Johnson her corsage.

Peggy Stevens and Ben Brown, Impersonators, are amused by some of the gifts proposed by Alice Coleman and David Leach, Giftorians.

The Seniors meet on their night . . .

Sue Nance and Philip Sloss, Senior Superlatives.

Jennie Teass, Class Song, and Tom Bradley, Class Poet.

John Dudek, Class History, Mike Adams, Will, and Donna Harman, Prophecy. Ashby Wharley, (absent from picture).

Class night is eagerly anticipated each year. This year was no exception.

After the delicious banquet, the program began with the characteristic fun and enjoyment. Gifts were first presented to the Seniors. Then the Class Song received its first official airing. After that the Seniors discovered the impressions they made on their fellow students, when they were mimicked by our able impersonaters. The past was relived for a brief time in the Class History. And then the Seniors delved into the future with the Class Prophecy. The Class Will surrendered the cherished talents and possessions of the Seniors to the underclassmen. A touch of culture was added to the program with the reading of the Class Poem. Senior Superlatives were then introduced. A series of toasts brought an unforgettable evening to a close.

TOASTS: Hilda Kendrick, Mary Fran Thaxton, Jill Bowyer, Cindy Saunders, and Walter Johnston.

Class of 1963 achieves its goal . . .

Cecelia Goode—Valedictorian

Terry Thompson—Salutatorian

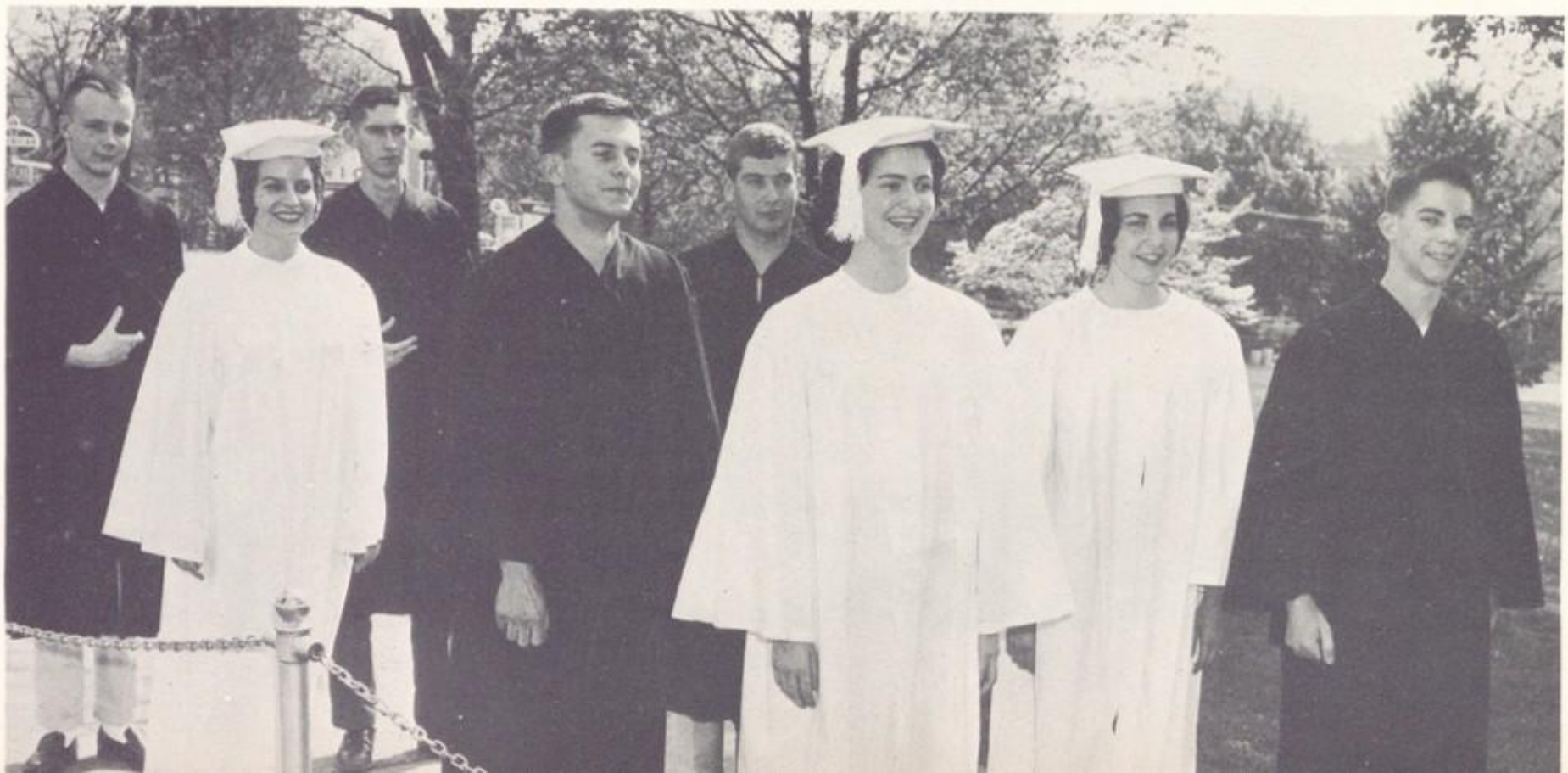
After four long and eventful years of progress the seniors of 1963 received their diplomas and bid farewell to their Alma Mater. The night was June 7. Though joyous at their completion of high school, a big step of their lives, the seniors felt regret at leaving familiar surroundings and faces.

The traditional processional began the program. After the invocation, the salutatory address of welcome and introduction was given by Terry Thompson. The theme, "The Facets of a Well-Rounded Personality," was carried out by Huck Berry, Donna Harmon, and Danny Scott. "Academic Achievement," "Co-Curricular Program," and "Moral and Spiritual Concepts" were their presentations. The B. H. S. Glee Club then gave two selections.

The awarding of the coveted diplomas represented the effort of four years of study. Special awards were given and the graduating Beta Club members were recognized.

Cecelia Goode delivered her valedictory message of farewell and thus the program was completed. The benediction was given and the recessional led the new alumni of B. H. S. away from the auditorium, completing an important part of their lives.

Other honor graduates of the Class of '63 are Danny Scott, Donna Harmon, Gerald Wood, John Dudek, Bert Nance, Susan Nance, Tina Wright, and Huck Berry.



Awards at B.H.S. during 1962-63

D.A.R. Good Citizen Award
Jennie Teass

S.A.R. Good Citizen Award
Bert Nance

National Merit Letter of Commendation
Huck Berry
Tom Bradley
Cecelia Goode
Danny Scott

Conservation Essay
First—Ben Brown
Second—Mike Adams
Third—Wayne Chandler

State First Place Winner
Conservation Essay—Ben Brown

Forensics—(District)
Superior—Poetry—Diane Behrens
Execllent—Prose—Dick Thomas
Good—Public Speaking—Tom Bradley
Superior—One Act Play

S.I.P.A.
Annual—First Place Award

Latin Tournament
State Group B First Place Winner—
Terry Thompson
Honorable Mention—
Huck Berry
Virginia Pierce
Gary Raflo
Gayle Robertson
Marjorie Scott

Latin Essay (State)
Honorable Mention—
Terry Thompson
Henry Fizer
Jean Scott
Marjorie Scott

Baseball Awards
Most Valuable Player—Mike Adams
Scholastic Award—Roy Vaughn

Track Awards
Most Valuable Player—Donald Musgrove
Scholastic Award—John Dudek, Beech Watson
First—Pole Vault—District Meet—
Peyton Brown

(Science Awards)

Bedford High School Winners in County Science Fair:

PHYSICAL SCIENCE

Girls' Individual
Third—Lorreta Lynch

Boys' Individual
First—David Leach, Aubrey Strode
Third—George Cooper

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE

Girls' Individual
First—Carol Ann Woodroof

Boys' Individual
First—Danny Dowdy
Second—Don Arrington
Third—Richard Chaffin

Group
First—Maxwell Goode, Cynthia Twark
Second—Claudia Twark, Cynthia Powers

ACCELERATED NINTH GRADE
First—Lawton Saunders
Second—Granville Nance
Third—Jimmy McDaniel

NINTH GRADE

Individual
First—Kennon Walden
Second—Robert Lambert

Group
First—Kenneth Childress, George Strode, Cambell Johnson
Second—Gary Raflo, Bruce Mitchell

MATH
First—Henry Fizer

CLUB AWARD
First—SOS Science Club

Virginia Junior Academy of Science
President—David Leach

Science Talent Search
Winner—David Leach
Honorable Mention—Huck Berry, Danny Scott

Regional Science Fair
Alternate Grand Award Winner—
Second Physical Science Boys'—
Aubrey Strode
Most Promising Sophomore Award—
Danny Dowdy
NASA Award in Aerodynamics—
George Cooper

State:
First in Geology—David Leach
First in Physics—John Fizer
Second in Psychology—Lawton Saunders
Third in Mathematics—Henry Fizer
AAAS Award—David Leach
E. C. L. Miller Club Award—
First—SOS Science Club
Honorable Mention—
Botany—Carol Woodroof
Chemistry—George Cooper
Engineering—Aubrey Strode
Microbiology—Jimmy McDaniel
Danny Scott

Jimmy Jones, Ginger Reynolds, Jerry Cunningham, and Jean Scott were selected by their classmates to attend Boys' and Girls' State.

National Merit Letters of Commendation were awarded to Tom Bradley, Danny Scott, Huck Berry, and Cecelia Goode.

Jennie Teass received the DAR award and Bert Nance, the SAR.

Moments of glory . . .

Bedford High sent a large group to the regional Science Fair. David Leach, Aubrey Strode, Richard Chaffin, Danny Dowdy, Don Arrington, Carol Ann Woodroof, and Henry Fizer consult with Mrs. Thaxton.

Our representatives to Forensics included Mickey Lazenby, Diane Behrens, Loretta Lynch, Tom Bradley, and Dick Thomas.

Mickey Lazenby sings her way to a first place for Bedford High in the talent contest at the State Beta Convention.

Latin Tournament representatives—Jean Scott, Liza Rucker, Marjorie Scott, Virginia Pierce, Gayle Robertson, Fred Duis, Gary Raflo, Henry Fizer, Huck Berry, and Terry Thompson—pose with Miss Boan.

. . . *for the industrious ones*

B.H.S. mascot, the Otter, presented to the students by Mr. Bob Nichols, now holds a prominent place in the trophy case left to the school by the class of '62.

Ben Brown, Most Valuable Player for basketball, and David Leach, Outstanding Lineman for football.

In the State Wildlife Essay contest, Ben Brown achieved the top award, an $800 college scholarship.

Senior Directory

MABEL ADAMS—French Club, 2 years; G. A. A., 4 years; Chaplain, 1 year; Reporter, 1 year; Treasurer, 1 year; Science Fair, 2 years.

MIKE ADAMS—Latin Club 2 years, scribe 1 year; Science Club 2 years, President 1 year; Junior Hi-Y 2 years, Treasurer 1 year; Varsity Club 1 year; Secretary of 8th grade class; Football 2 years; Baseball 4 years; Basketball 1 year; Annual Staff 1 year; Senior Play 1 year; Variety Show 2 years; Science Fair 3 years, 1st and 3rd place, Student Council 1 year.

JAMES AGEE—Baseball, 3 years; Basketball, 4 years; Sportsman Club, 4 years; Varsity club, 3 years; Science Fair, 1 year.

ALICE ARRINGTON—F.H.A., 1 year; Beta Club, 3 years; Science Fair, 1 year; Glee Club, 1 year; Office Helper, 1 year.

DONNA ARTHUR—Kappa-Chi Tri-Hi-Y, 2 years; Senior Tri-Hi-Y, 2 years; Latin Club, 2 years; French Club, 2 years; Science Fair, 3 years; Honorable mention, 1 year; Basketball Cheerleader, 3 years; Senior Play; Paper Staff, 1 year; Variety Show, 1 year; NEDT Award.

HUCK BERRY—Junior Hi-Y club 2 years, president 1 year; Senior Hi-Y club 2 years, president 1 year; Beta club 3 years; Varsity club 2 years, chaplain 1 year; Latin club 4 years, consul 1 year; baseball manager 1 year; basketball manager 3 years; Senior play cast; M. G. A. 2 years; Science Fair 2 years, 3rd place and honorable mention; paper staff, sports editor 1 year; Latin Tournament 2 years, honorable mention 2 years; Latin essay contest, honorable mention 1 year; letter of commendation, National Merit Scholarship.

LYNDA CRAGHEAD BOONE—Tri-Hi-Y, 3 years; Latin Club, 1 year; French Club, 2 years; Glee Club, 2 years; Cheerleader, 2 years; Basketball, 3 years; May Court, 1 year; Homecoming Court, 3 years; Shrine Queen, 1 year; Queen of Sophomore Party, 1 year; Miss Bedford High School, 1 year; Variety Show, 3 years.

JILL BOWYER—Latin Club, 2 years; Zeta-Phi, 2 years; Secretary, 1 year; French Club, 1 year; Tri-Hi-Y, 1 year; Historian, 1 year; F.H.A. Club, 1 year; Glee Club, 1 year; Variety Show, 1 year; Paper Staff; typist, 1 year; Annual Staff, 1 year; photographer, 1 year; Science Fair, 1 year.

TOM BRADLEY—Sportsman Club, 1 year; Latin Club, 2 years; French Club, 3 years; Science Club, 2 years; Beta Club, 3 years; Football, 1 year; Basketball, 4 years; Science Fair, 3 years.

BEN BROWN—Latin Club, 4 years; Augur, 2 years; Junior Hi-Y, 2 years; Science Club, 2 years; Science Club Reporter, 1 year; Beta Club, 3 years; J. V. Basketball, 2 years; J. V. Track, 1 year; J. V. Baseball, 2 years; J. V. Football, 1 year; Varsity Basketball, 2 years; Basketball Co-Captain, 1 year; Varsity Baseball, 3 years; Science Fair, 2 years; Variety Show; State Wildlife Essay Winner; Senior Play Cast.

WAYNE CHANDLER—Sportsman's Club, 1 year; Science Club, 2 years; Latin Club, 2 years; French Club, 2 years; Beta Club, 3 years; Varsity Club Treasurer, 1 year; Science Fair, 3 years; Science Fair winner, 1 year; Baseball, J. V., 1 year; Varsity, 2 years; Football, J. V., 1 year; Varsity, 1 year; Track, 1 year; Participated in Forensic Meet; Senior Class Treasurer.

JERRY CHESSON—Baseball, 2 years; Baseball Manager, 1 year; Jr. Hi-Y, 2 years ;Senior Hi-Y, 2 years; Chaplain Senior Hi-Y, 1 year; Science Fair, 3 years; Varsity Club, 1 year; Usher for Senior Play.

ALICE COLEMAN—French Club, 1 year; Future Homemakers of America, 3 years; President and Secretary of F.H.A.; G.A.A., 1 year; Reporter of G.A.A.; Beta Club, 3 years; Student Council, 1 year; 8th Grade Homeroom Representative; F.H.A. delegate to State Convention, 1 year; Variety Show, 4 years; Homecoming Queen; Shrine Court, 1 year; Science Fair, Honorable Mention.

ELVA CRAIG—Beta Club, 3 years.; F.H.A., 1 year; Glee Club, 1 year; Science Fair, 3 years.

DARROL DAVIS—Hobby Club, 4 years; Varsity Club, 3 years; Latin Club, 1 year; J. V. Track, 2 years; Varsity Track, 2 years; J.V. Football, 1 year; Varsity Football, 3 years; Science Fair, 3 years; Winner, 1 year; Variety Show, 2 years.

WAYLAND DENTON—Latin Club, 2 years; Junior Hi-Y Club, 2 years; Science Club, 2 years; Chaplain, 1 year; Varsity Club, 2 years; Chaplain, 1 year; French Club, 2 years; Treasurer, 1 year; Baseball, 1 year; Track, 3 years; Basketball, 3 years; Football, 3 years; Science Fair, 3 years; Senior Play, Variety Show, 4 years; Forensic Meet-Drama Festival, 1 year.

FRANK DRAPER—Football, 3 years; Basketball, 1 year; Baseball, 2 years; Track, 1 year; Jr. Hi-Y, 1 year; Varsity Club, 3 years; Hobby Club, 1 year; Science Club, 1 year; Science Fair, 1 year.

JOHN DUDEK—Varsity Club, 3 years; Science Club, 4 years; Latin Club, 2 years; French Club, 1 year; Beta Club, 3 years; Vice-President 8th Grade Class; President Junior Class; Photographer For Annual; S.C.A. Council, 1 year; Alternate to Boys' State, 1 year; Baseball, 1 year; Track, 3 years; Basketball, 2 years; Science Fair, 2 years; Variety Show, 2 years.

BILLY DUIS—Baseball, 4 years; Latin Club, 2 years; Beta Club, 3 years; Science Club, 4 years; Science Fair, 3

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years; Varsity Club, 1 year; Vice President Senior Class; Homeroom Representative, 1 year; Student Council, 1 year; Variety Show, 2 years.

JOYCE DUNCAN—Beta Club, 3 years; French Club, 2 years; Tri-Hi-Y, 2 years; G.A.A., 2 years; Science Fair, 3 years.

JACKIE FARIBAULT—Kappa Chi, 2 years, Secretary 1 year; Tri Hi Y, 2 years; Latin Club, 2 years; French Club, 2 years; Beta Club, 3 years; Cheerleader, 1 year; Science Fair, 3 years; Variety Show, 2 years.

JACK FISHER, Sportsman Club, 3 years; Hobby Club, 1 year; Science Fair, 1 year, Science Fair Third Place.

JOHN FIZER—Basketball, 2 years; French Club, 2 years; Science Club, 3 years; Science Fair, 2 years; Home Room Representative, 1 year; S.C.A. Council, 1 year; Senior Play; Variety Show.

CAROLYN FOUTZ—F.H.A., 2 years; Beta Club, 3 years; G.A.A., 2 years; Photographer of G.A.A., 1 year; Latin Club, 1 year; Science Fair, 3 years; Honorable Mention, 2 years.

RODNEY GOGGIN—Science Club, 2 years; Secretary, 1 year; Varsity Club, 3 years; Junior-Hi-Y Club, 2 years; Treasurer, 1 year; Latin Club, 2 years; French Club, 1 year; Variety Show, 2 years; President of Freshman Class; Treasurer of 8th Grade Class; Homeroom representative of Sophomore Class; Senior Play; Homeroom representative of Senior Class; Student Council, 2 years; Football, 4 years; Basketball, 1 year; Baseball, 4 years; Most Valuable Baseball Player, 1961-1962.

CECELIA GOODE—Torch-Y, 2 years, president, 1 year; Tri-Hi-Y, 2 years; Football Cheerleader, 3 years; JV Basketball, 1 year; Varsity Basketball, 1 year; Basketball Scholarship Award, 1 year; French Club, 2 years; Latin Club, 2 years; Latin Tournament, 1 year; Student Citizenship Committee, 4 years, chairman, 1 year; SCA Treasurer, 1 year; Editor of annual; Raper Staff, 2 years; Exchange Editor, 1 year; Senior Play Cast; National Merit Letter of Commendation. N.E.D.T. honor certificate; Beta Club, 3 years; Science Fair, 3 years, Honorable Mention, 1 year; Third Place, 1 year; Variety Show, 3 years.

DAVID GOODE—French Club, 3 years; Chaplain, 2 years; Varsity Club, 2 years; Junior Hi-Y, 2 years; Chaplain, 1 year; Science Club, 2 years; J. V. Football, 1 year; Varsity Football, 2 years; J. V. Basketball, 1 year; Varsity Baseball, 1 year; Science Fair, 2 years; Vice President of Freshman Class.

DONNA HARMAN—National Honor Society, 2 years; Sergeant-at-Arms of Honor Society, 1 year; Tri-Hi-Y, 1 year; Member of Football court, 1 year; President of Folk Club, 1 year; Welfare Club, 1 year; Tennis Team, 1 year; Scholarship Letter, 1 year; Beta Club, 2 years; Future Homemakers of America, 1 year; Secretary of F.H.A. 1 year; Senior Play, Basketball team, 1 year.

LORETTA HECK—F.H.A., 1 year; Glee Club, 1 year; Science Fair, 1 year; Office Helper, 1 year.

LINNETTE HICKS—G.A.A., 4 years; G.A.A. Recorder of Points, 1 year; G.A.A. Vice President, 1 year; G.A.A. President, 1 year; French Club, 3 years; Varsity Basketball, 4 years; Co-Captain Basketball team, 1 year; Science Fair, 2 years; Music Chorus, 1 year; Annual Staff, 1 year; Publicity Director of Senior Play; Publicity Director for Carnival; Student Council.

WALTER HOPKINS—Football, 3 years; Basketball, 1 year; Baseball, 1 year; Varsity Club, 1 year; Varsity Club Secretary, 1 year; Beta Club, 2 years; Sportsman Club, 1 year; Latin Club, 2 years; Vice President Freshman Class; Science Club, 3 years; Science Club Treasurer, 1 year; Science Fair, 3 years; Science Club Second Place, 1 year; Regional Science Fair, 1 year; Jr. Academy of Science Fair, 1 year; Variety Show, 2 years; Annual Staff.

J. G. HURT—Treasury of the Freshman class; Latin club, 1 year; Sports Club, 2 years; J.V. Baseball, 1 year; J. V. Track, 1 year; science fair, 2 years; Treasury of Sophomore class; French Club, 2 years; Varsity Baseball, 1 year; Varsity Football, 2 years; Science Club, 1 year; Varsity Club, 1 year.

DORIS JENKINS—F.H.A., 4 years; Parliamentarian of F.H.A., 2 years; Latin Club, 1 year; Glee Club, 1 year; Science Fair, 1 year; Certificate of Merit in State Wildife Essay Contest; Senior Play Usher.

JEAN JOHNSON—Torch-Y, 2 years, Vice-president and President; Tri-Hi-Y, 2 years, Chaplain, 1 year; Latin Club, 2 years; French Club, 2 years; Beta Club, 3 years; attended MGA as Page, 1 year; Sec'y of Freshman Class; J.V. Basketball, 2 years; Varsity Cheerleader, 3 years, Head Cheerleader, 1 year; Club Editor and Exchange Editor of School paper; Ad Editor of annual; Science Fair, 3 years, Honorable mention and second place; Variety Show, 3 years; May Day Court, 1 year; Shrine Court, 2 years; Homecoming Court, 2 years.

BOBBY JOHNSON—Sportsman Club, 2 years, Reporter of Sportsman Club, 1 year; Junior Hi-Y, 1 year; Science Club, 1 year; Glee Club, 3 years; J. V. Basketball, 1 year; Varsity Basketball, 1 year; Track, 1 year; Science Fair, 3 years; 2 awards; Honorable Mention at V. P. I.; All State Chorus, 1 year.

WALTER JOHNSON—Latin Club, 2 years; Football Manager, 1 year; Science Fair, 1 year; 1st place, 1 year; Annual Staff; Senior Play Stage Manager.

EMILY JONES—Latin Club, 2 years; F. H. A., 2 years;

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F. H. A. reporter, 1 year; Beta Club, 3 years; Tri-Hi-Y, 2 years; French Club, 2 years; Science Fair, 2 years; College Day Guide; Paper Staff, 3 years; Reporter, 2 years; Club Editor, 1 year; Annual Staff.

HILDA KENDRICK—F. H. A., 4 years, Historian 1 year, Science Fair, 2 years; Glee Club, 1 year.

DAVID LEACH—Science Club, 4 years; Vice President, 2 years; Varsity Club, 3 years; Varsity Football, 4 years; Basketball, 3 years; Baseball, 1 year; Honorable mention in the Future Scientist of America Contest, 1 year; Most promising Sophomore award at Western Virginia Science Fair; President of the Virginia Junior Academy of Science; First place in V.P.I. Science Day, 2 years; First place in State Junior Academy of Science, 1 year; Third place in State Junior Academy of Science Day, 1962; Homeroom representative in 1961-1962; Variety Show.

NICK MARKHAM—Varsity Club, 3 years; French Club, 3 years; Science Club, 3 years; Varsity Baseball and Football, 3 years; Co-Captain of the Varsity Football 1 year; J.V. Baseball, 1 year; J. V. Football 1 year; Vice-President of the French Club, 1 year; Treasurer of the Science Club, 1 year President of the Varsity Club, 1 year; Participated in the Variety show, 2 years.

EVELYN McKINNEY—G.A.A., 1 year; F.H.A., 3 years; Treasurer, 1 year; Science Fair, 2 years.

DORINDA MITCHELL—Huddleston — Varsity Club, 2 years; Tri-Hi-Y, 1 year; F. H. A., 2 years; Delegate to State F. H. A. Convention; F. H. A. Camp, 1 year; F. H. A. Song leader, 1 year; Basketball Cheerleader, 2 years. Bedford—F. H. A., 2 years; F. H. A. County Federation President, 1 year; Variety Show.

BERT NANCE—Home Room Representative, 1 year; Latin Club, 2 years; Sportsman Club, 1 year; Paper Staff, 2 years; Baseball Letter; Football Letter; Track Team, 1 year; Variety Show, 4 years; S.C.A. Council, 3 years; Varsity Club Treasurer, 1 year; Science Club, 3 years; Secretary of Science Club, 1 year; Football Varsity, 4 years; Co-Captain Football Team, 1 year; Baseball Varsity, 4 years; Scholarship Winner on Baseball Team; County Science Fair Winner, 2 years; County Science Fair, 3 years; Sophomore Class President, Senior Class President; Beta Club, 3 years; Vice-President of Beta Club, 1 year; Delegate to Beta Club Convention, 1 year; French Club, 2 years; Forensic Contest, 1 year; Junior Representative at Senior Carnival; Football Sportsmanship Award, 1 year; Boys State Delegate, 1 year.

SUSAN NANCE—Torch-Y, 2 years; Tri-Hi-Y, 2 years; Latin Club, 2 years; Beta Club, 3 years; French Club, 2 years; Glee Club, 1 year; Club Editor of Annual; Science Fair, 2 years.

CAROLE OVERSTREET—F.H.A., 2 years; Music Chorus, 1 year; Typist for paper, 1 year; Science Fair, 1 year.

SKIPPER OWEN—Latin Club 4 years; Junior Hi-Y club 2 years; Senior Hi-Y club 2 years, Vice-President 1 years; Home room representative 9th grade; Football 4 years; Baseball 2 years; Basketball 1 years; Science Fair 3 years, 3rd place 1 year; Variety Show 3 years.

JAMES OWENS—French Club, 1 year; Hi-Y, 2 years; Glee Club, 2 years; Science Fair, 3 years; 2nd place, 1 year; J. V. football, 1 year; J. V. basketball, 1 year; Senior Play.

CINDY SAUNDERS—Tri-Hi-Y, 2 years; F.H.A., 2 years; Paper Staff, 3 years; Variety Show, 1 year; F.H.A. Reporter, 1 year; Junior Homemaking Degree, Beta Club, 3 years; Latin Club, 2 years; French Club, 2 years; F.H.A. Booth for Fall Festival, 1 year; Science Fair, 2 years; Chapter Homemakers Degree; Stage Crew for Senior Play.

DANNY SCOTT—Beta Club 3 years, president 1 year; Junior Hi-Y 2 years, secretary 1 year; Science Club 2 years; Latin Club 4 years, treasurer 1 year; Junior class secretary; Science Fair 4 years, first place 2 years, honorable mention 2 years, honorable mention at V. P. I. Science Day, 1 year, first place regional science fair 1 year; U. D. C. essay award winner; Third place, Virginia Wildlife Essay Contest; Honorable mention, state Latin tournament; letter of merit, N. E. D. T. tests; letter of commendation, National Merit Scholarship; National Science Foundation summer institute; Senior play cast; S. C. A. Council, 1 year.

PAM SCOTT—Kappa-Chi Tri-Hi-Y, 2 years; Senior Tri-Hi-Y, 2 years; Glee Club, 3 years; Latin Club, 1 year; French Club, 3 years; Variety Show, 2 years; Chairman of Senior Play, 1 year; Paper Staff, 1 year; Senior Play, 1 year; Science Fair, 1 year.

PHILIP SLOSS—Junior Hi-Y, 2 years; Vice-President Junior Hi-Y, 1 year; Senior Hi-Y, 2 years; Secretary Senior Hi-Y, 1 year; Latin Club, 1 year; Beta Club, 3 years; French Club, 2 years; President French Club 1 year; Vice-President Sophomore Class; Varsity Football, 1 year; J. V. Basketball, 2 years; Varsity Basketball, 2 years; Co-Captain, 1 year; J. V. Baseball, 1 year; Varsity Baseball, 2 years; Science Fair, 2 years; Sports Editor for annual, 1 year; Delegate to Boys' State, 1 year; Student Council, 2 years.

JAMES SMITH—Sportsman club, 1 year; Science fair, 4 years; French club, 2 years; Beta club, 2 years; Science club, 2 years.

MARILYN SMITH—F.H.A., 4 years; Recreational leader, 1 year; Glee Club, 4 years; Science Fair, 2 years.

LOIS SPRADLIN—F. H. A., 4 years; Junior Homemakers degree; Science Fair, 2 years; Usher for Senior Play.

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CAROL STEPHENS—Torch-Y, 2 years; Tri-Hi-Y, 1 year; Science Club, 1 year; Beta Club, 3 years; Latin Club, 2 years; French Club, 2 years; Cheerleader, 3 years; Variety Show, 1 year; Annual Staff, 1 year; Science Fair, 3 years; Science Fair Honorable Mention, 1 year.

PEGGY STEVENS—Tri-Hi-Y, 4 years; Treasurer, 1 year; Latin Club, 1 year; French Club, 2 years; Senior Class Secretary; S. C. A. Council, 2 years; Shrine Court, 1 year; Annual Staff, Sports Editor; Variety Show, 1 year.

JENNIE TEASS—G.A.A., 1 year; Jr. Y. Teens, 1 year; Kappa Chi, 1 year, Treasurer; Beta Club, 3 years; Homecoming Court, William Fleming High School; Tri-Hi-Y, 3 years; S.C.A. Council, 3 years, Secretary 1 year, Vice President 1 year; Delegate to M. G. A., 2 years; Delegate to Girls State, 1 year; William Fleming Band, 2 years, Historian 1 year; Science Fair, 2 years; D. A. R. Citizenship Award; Senior Play Cast.

MARY FRANCES THAXTON—Science Club, 2 years; Kappa-Chi, 2 years; French Club, 3 years; Chaplain, 1 year; Glee Club, 4 years; Librarian, 1 year; Basketball Manager, 1 year; Basketball Scorekeeper, 1 year; Science Fair, 3 years; Winner, 2 years; Regional Fair Winner, 1 year; Conservation Essay Contest Winner, 1 year; Paper Staff, 2 years; Grade School editor, 1 year; Annual Staff, 1 year; Variety Show, 2 years; Senior Play; Student Council, 1 year; Football ticket seller, 3 years.

TERRY THOMPSON—Latin Club, 4 years; Latin consul; Latin Tournament, 3 years; Honorable mention, 2 years; French Club, 2 years; Tri-Hi-Y, 2 years; F. H. A., 2 years; F. H. A. Historian, 1 year; Beta Club, 3 years; Beta secretary, 1 year; Home room Representative, 1 year; Varsity cheerleader, 3 years; J. V. basketball, 1 year; Varsity basketball, 1 year; Science Fair, 2 years; Wildlife Essay contest honorable mention; Paper staff, 3 years; Annual staff, Assistant editor; One-act play; Senior play; Variety Show, 1 year; NEDT Award.

MARIAN TOMS—F.H.A., 1 year; Science Fair, 3 years.

SYDNEY TROUTMAN—Latin Club, 1 year; Zeta-Phi Tri-Hi-Y, 2 years; French Club, 3 years; Senior Tri-Hi-Y, 2 years; Treasurer Senior Tri-Hi-Y, 1 year; President Senior Tri-Hi-Y, 1 year; Beta Club, 3 years; Student Council S.C.A., 1 year; Co-Chairman Senior Carnival, 1 year; Science Fair, 2 years; Variety Show, 2 years.

CAROLYN WHEELER—Kappa-Chi-Tri-Hi-Y, 2 years; Senior Tri-Hi-Y, 2 years; Glee Club, 3 years; J. V. Basketball, 1 year; Varsity Basketball, 2 years; Most Valuable Player, 1 year; Varsity Football Cheerleader, 3 years; Science Fair, 1 year; Paper Staff, 1 year; Variety Show.

ASHBY WHORLEY—Football, 2 years; Track, 1 year; Baseball, 4 years; Science Club, 4 years; Beta Club, 3 years; Treasurer Beta Club 1 year; Science Fair, 3 years; Latin club, 2 years; French Club, 1 year; 3rd place &Honorable mention in science fair.

CHARLES WOOD—Science Club 2 years; Football 2 years; Baseball 3 years; Varsity Club 2 years; Science Fair 1 year; Photographer for annual, 1 year.

GARY WOOD—Sportsman's Club, 4 years; Basketball, 1 year; Science Fair, 1 year.

GERALD WOOD—Beta Club, 3 years; Hobby Club, 4 years; President of Hobby Club, 2 years; Science Fair, 3 years; Junior Class Treasurer.

SUE WOODWORTH—French Club, 2 years; Latin Club, 2 years; Beta Club, 2 years; Tri-Hi-Y, 4 years; Treasurer of Zeta Phi, 1 year; Historian of Zeta Phi, 1 year; Secretary of Tri-Hi-Y, 1 year; Vice President of Junior Class; Science Fair, 3 years; Variety Show, 2 years; Maid of Honor on Shrine Court; Basketball, 3 years.

DONNA WOOLDRIGE—G. A. A., 1 year; F. H. A., 3 years; Reporter in F. H. A., 1 year; Beta Club, 3 years; Science Fair, 2 years; Honorable Mention, 1 year; Annual Staff; Paper Staff, 1 year.

TINA WRIGHT—Torch-Y, 1 year; Tri-Hi-Y;, 2 years; Latin Club, 1 year; French Club, 2 years; Beta Club, 3 years; Varsity Cheerleader, 2 years; Assistant Editor of paper, 1 year; Vice President of S. C. A., 1 year; President of SCA, 1 year; Science Fair, first place, 1 year; Co-Chairman of Fall Carnival, 1 year; MGA, 1 year; Homecoming Maid of Honor, 1 year; Shrine Queen, 1 year; Girls' State, 1 year; Variety Show, 2 years. West Phoenix High School: Girls' League Class Council; Student Council representative; Tri-Hi-Y Club; Parnassus (honor society); voted most outstanding member of Girls' League Class Council; placed second in Rotary Club Speech Contest.

ANDY YOWELL—Hi-Y Club, 4 years; Treasurer of Hi-Y, 1 year; Varsity Club, 3 years; Vice President of Varsity Club, 1 year; Beta Club, 3 years; Latin Club, 3 years; Science Fair, 2 years; First and Second place winner; Delegate to Virginia Junior Academy of Science Day at V. P. I.; Delegate to Western Virginia Regional Science Fair; Member of Senior play cast; Football, 4 years; Baseball, 4 years; Basketball, 3 years; Variety Show, 3 years.

DONALD ZIMMERMAN—Junior Hi-Y, 2 years; Science Club, 2 years; Baseball Manager, 1 year; Basketball 8th grade, 1 year; Basketball Intramurals 2 years; Science Fair, 2 years.

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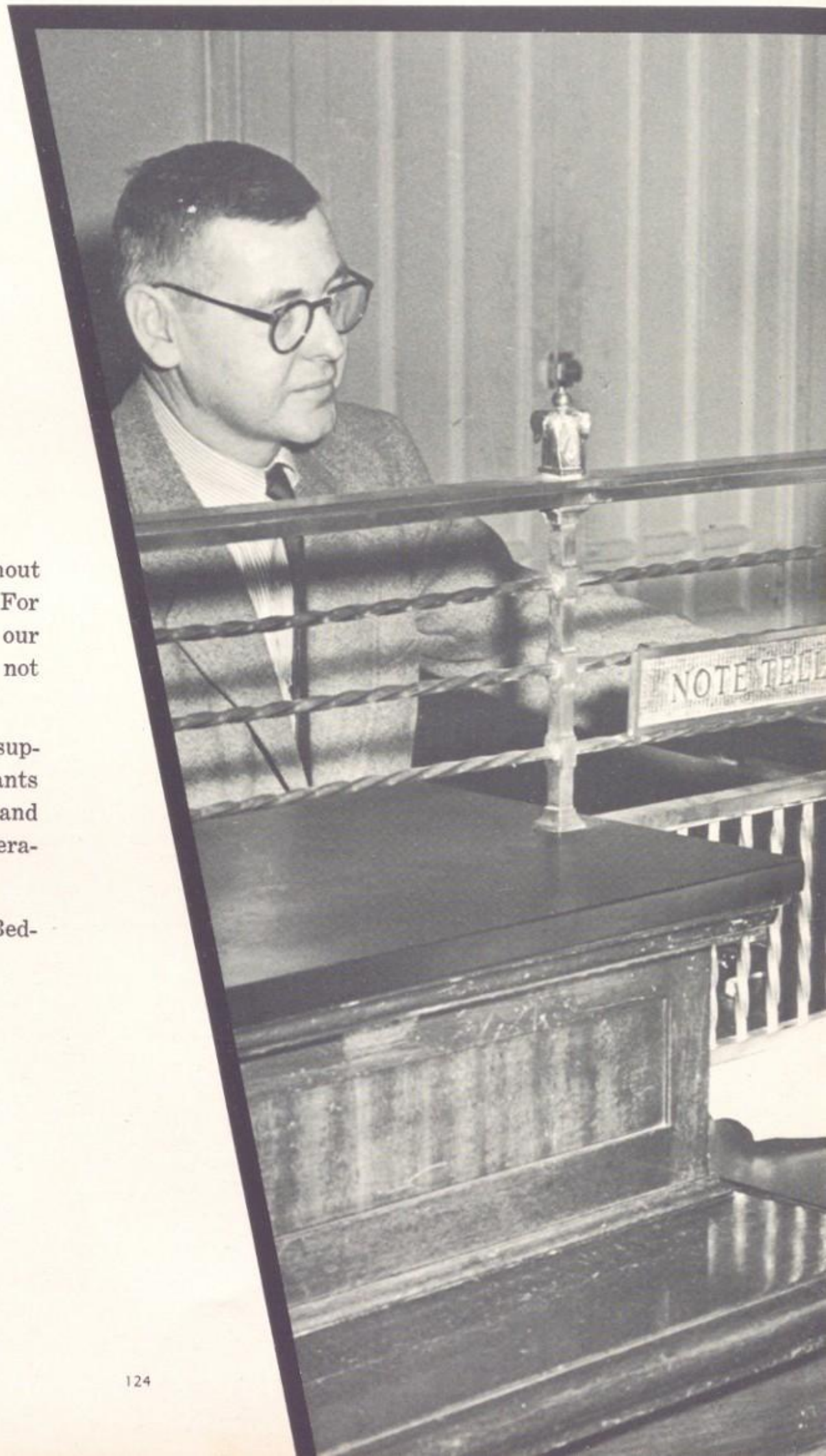

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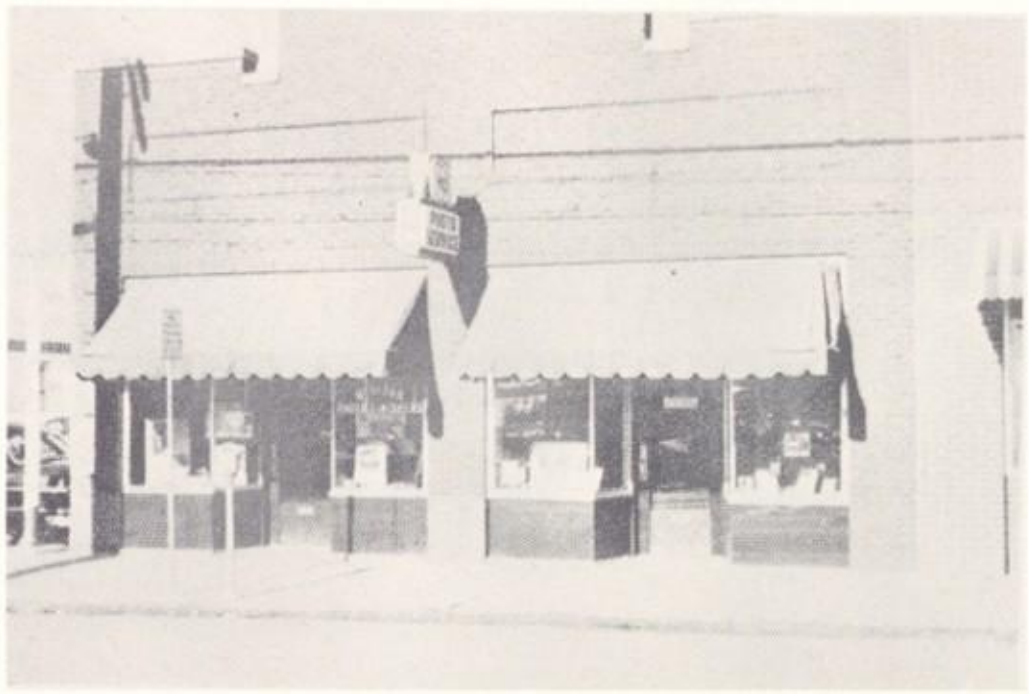

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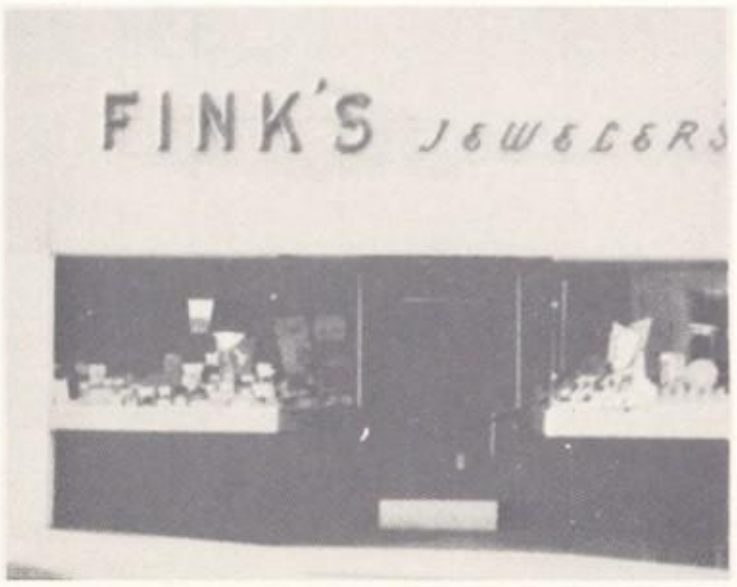

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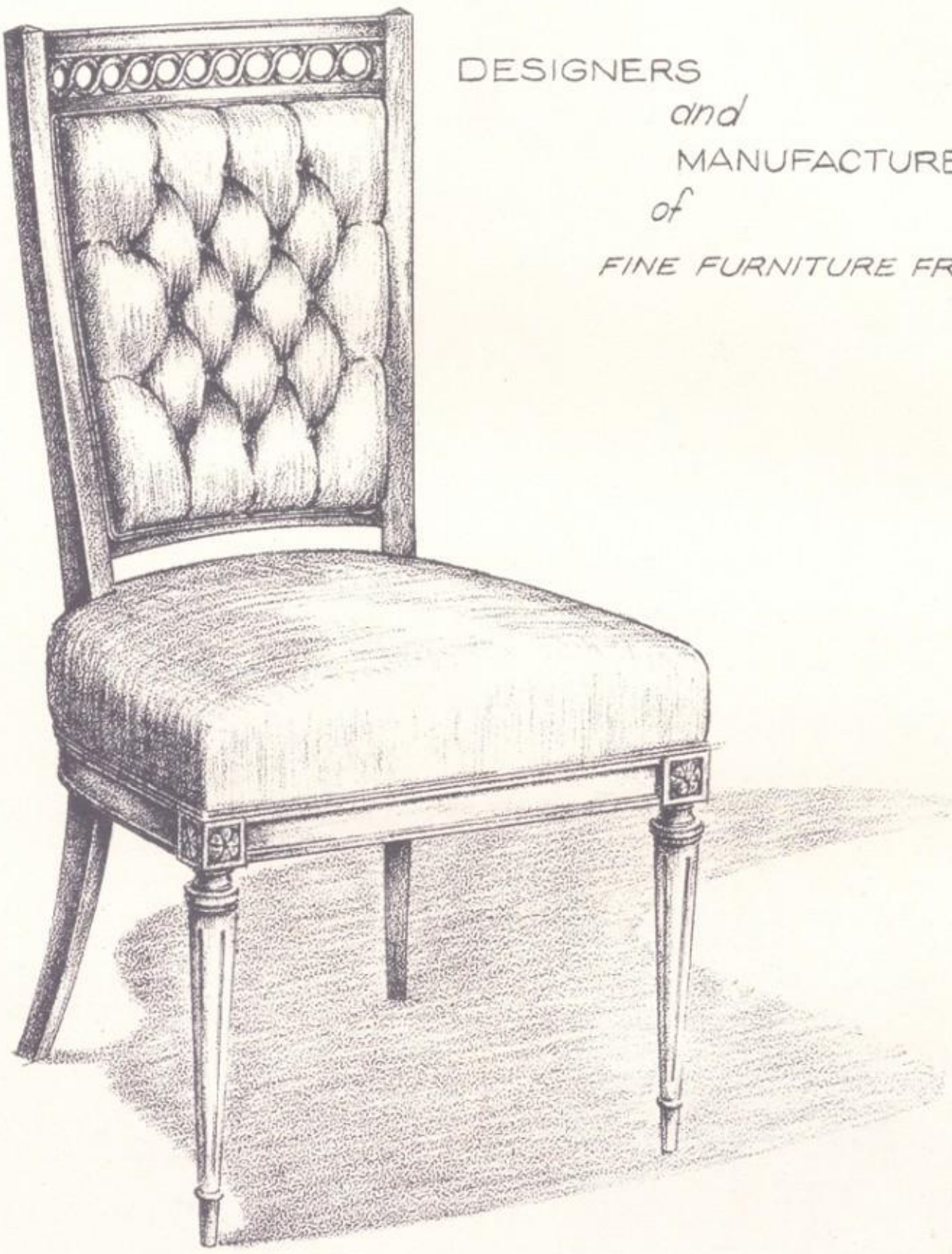

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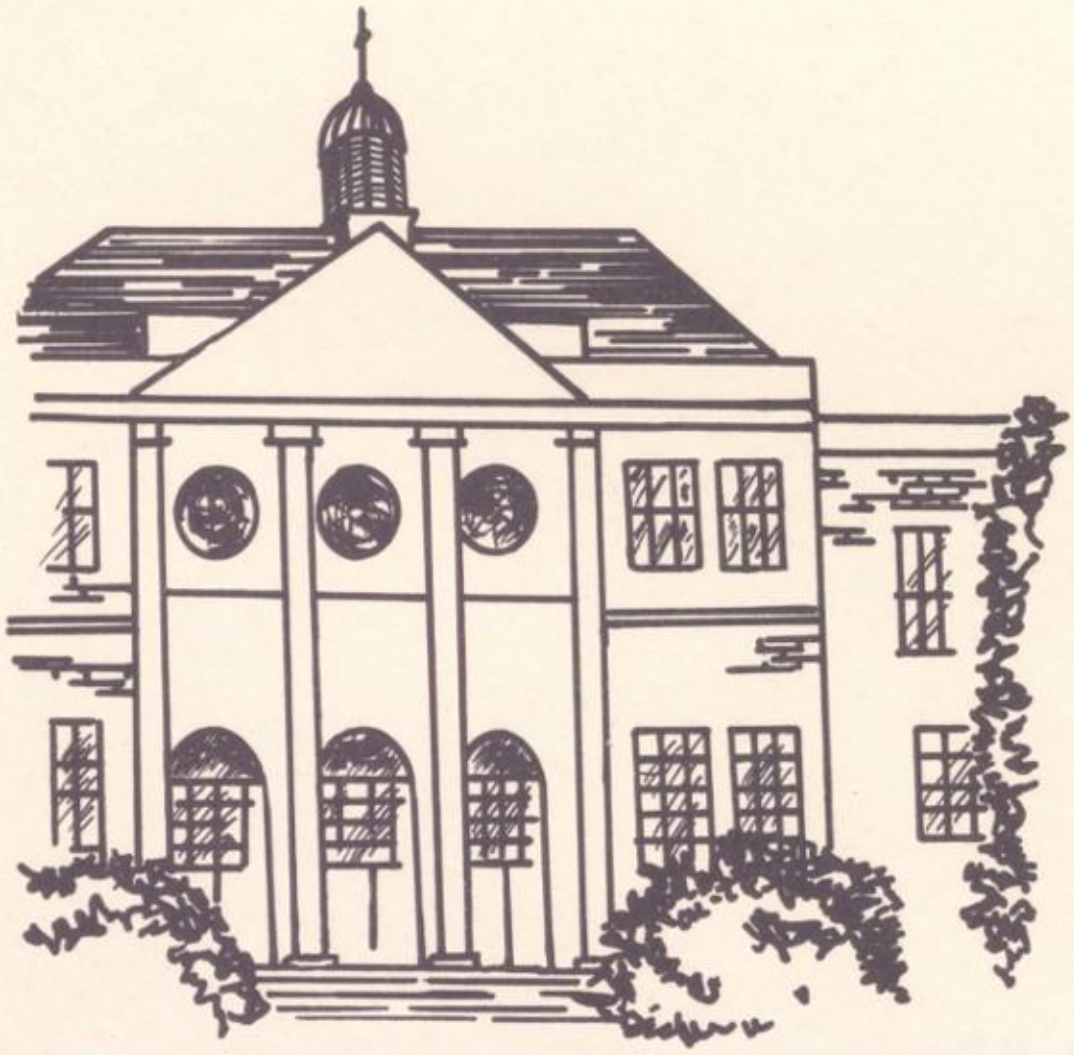
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